



BRITISH COMMANDER WARNS NIPPONESE

ZONING LAW ASSURED BY DIXON MAYOR

Gave Assurance At Council Meeting Last Evening

Assurance that Dixon will be provided with a zoning ordinance at the earliest possible date and announcement that initial steps towards such a measure had been taken was made at last evening's session of the city council when Mayor William Slothower stated that instructions as to their duties would be furnished the five zoning commission members within a few days by City Attorney Martin J. Gannon. Mayor Slothower's appointments to the zoning commission are as follows: Alfred A. Rowland, Prof. W. H. Coppins, Rae Arnold, Erman O. Miller and Robert V. Reed.

The drafting of a zoning ordinance may require several weeks and possibly it may be months before a feasible measure can be presented to this council. However, City Attorney Martin Gannon is now engaged in preparing the instructions to the zoning commission which will be presented to them within a few days, the mayor said.

"Public hearings will be held for those affected in the various zones throughout the city. To expedite the framing of the ordinance it may be that these hearings will be arranged to combine several zones at one time where conditions are agreeable and as rapidly as possible, we hope that this zoning ordinance will be drafted and presented to this council for passage."

"Zoning problems which confront this council are no different than those which have confronted others, but this council is going to pass a zoning ordinance as soon as the measure can be drafted properly."

City Attorney's Comment
City Attorney Martin Gannon added his comment by stating: "The question of a zoning ordinance came to the attention of the city council in 1931. At that time the council said that the time was not right for such an ordinance. I do not know what was meant by the time being 'not right,' but nothing further was done. The Dixon Evening Telegraph for years has agitated a zoning ordinance for Dixon. This council has taken the initial step and will proceed with the drafting of such an ordinance, but time will be required to permit the commission to proceed properly in establishing the residential and commercial zones."

Objectors to the Lee County Cold Storage company plant on Patrick Court were present at the council session last evening and final comment was believed to have been passed on this subject, in which the city is said to be without power to prevent construction and property owners are obliged to prove nuisance before any litigation can be undertaken.

The subject was discussed and Commissioner Valle secured the

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Public Flogging

Wilmington, Del., Jan. 8.—(AP)—Three convicted robbers were lashed today at the public whipping post to which they were sentenced under a Delaware law older than the state itself.

A gallery of 150 men—women are not permitted—witnessed the whipping administered with a cat-o-nine-tails over the prisoners' bare backs.

MUNICIPAL BUILDING
St. Charles, Ill.—(AP)—Acceptance of an offer from St. Charles Charities for funds and a site for construction of a new municipal building was announced by Mayor I. G. Langum who estimated the cost of the building at \$180,000. The gift was made through the charitable organization by Edward J. Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Lester J. Norris, heirs of John W. (Bet a Million) Gates' fortune.

FALSIFIER JAILED
Chicago—(AP)—Harry Ruud, 28, a shipping clerk, was sentenced by Judge Joseph Sabath to serve 30 days in jail on a charge of falsifying the age of Marion Horton, 14, in a marriage license affidavit before they were wed last June. The marriage was annulled.

DR. CHEEK HONORED
Chicago—(AP)—Dr. Mary Ashby Cheek, inaugurated last October as president of Rockford college, was honored at a dinner attended by 40 social workers who were trained at the college. Mrs. Catharine Wall McCulloch, a member of the college board of directors, presided.

Starts Early

Berlin, Md., Jan. 8.—(AP)—Old-timers who smoke during talk-fests in the country store have nothing on 3-year-old John Merlin Brown.

The youngster sat on a box in a store here and puffed a cornob pipe while his mother, Mrs. John Brown, shopped. Explaining her son had smoked since he was 18-months-old, she bought him a five-cent cigar to smoke after dinner.

FILIBUSTERING USED TO DELAY ACTION ON BILL

Parliamentary Battle Is Waged Against Anti-Lynching Bill

Washington, Jan. 8.—(AP)—Senators waging a parliamentary battle against the anti-lynching bill said today they had enough speeches on tap to prolong their filibustering tactics indefinitely.

Majority Leader Barkley of Kentucky held out the threat of night sessions to choke off their oratory, but not even that, they said, could upset their schedule.

The filibusters turned today to Communism, Fascism and Nazism for new targets of eloquence.

Senators Reynolds (D-N.C.) not only denounced what he called these "subversive" influences in America but introduced two bills to put teeth into his argument that there should be laws against the dissemination of foreign propaganda in this country.

One of the measures would cancel the citizenship of any naturalized citizen who advocated "political doctrines subversive to the best interests of the United States." It would also provide for the deporting of such an individual.

The other would make it a criminal offense to "advise, advocate or teach principles of government based in whole or in part in opposition to or discrimination against people of any particular race or creed."

Opponents Take Heart
Opponents of the bill took heart from the vigorous attack Senator Borah (R-Idaho) made against the measure yesterday. They said it gave powerful support to their contention the bill is unconstitutional and should be shelved.

The purpose of the opponents was plain—to continue speech-making and parliamentary delays until pressure for President Roosevelt's legislative program would force proponents to side-track the anti-lynching proposal.

Upsetting the Senate's usual week-end rest, Barkley called a session for today and at the same time threatened night sessions.

Borah held the close attention of his colleagues and the galleries throughout his hour-long talk. The galleries were sprinkled with Negroes, and Rep. Mitchell (D-Ill.), only Negro member of congress, sat at the head of the senate chamber.

"The race problem," Borah said, "is one which doesn't yield readily to legislative treatment."

"Suffer Discrimination"
Under present laws, he said, Negroes often "suffer discrimination at the hands of the federal government."

A Negro girl, he said, may win a civil service rating by examination "and when she comes to get a job and they see she is a Negro, they tell her the job is filled."

"And they usually are telling a lie," he shouted.

The bill under debate would provide for federal prosecution of local and state authorities in the event of mob violence.

The senate, awaiting committee reports on farm and housing bills passed at the special session, had

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CHICAGO SUFFERS FIRST ZERO WAVE; FIVE BELOW HERE

Cold Snap Spreading Into Far South As Florida Freezes

Chicago, Jan. 8.—(AP)—Chicagoans scurried about with tingling ears today in the big city's first zero weather in nearly two years.

When the mercury dropped to zero at 8:15 A. M. it was the first time it had gone that low here since Feb. 19, 1936. The previous low this winter was six above on December 19.

The mercury rose slowly later today but Forecaster J. R. Lloyd predicted another drop to zero tonight.

MORE COLD DUE
By The Associated Press
Sub-freezing weather spread over most of the south today, moving in from the Great Lakes region. Lower temperatures generally were forecast for tonight.

The cold wave extended as far south as Pensacola, Fla., Shreveport, La., and Dallas, Tex., where the minimum readings were 32. Snow fell in Montana and North Dakota.

Coldest Day
The temperature in Dixon fell to the lowest mark it has reached this winter early today and dipped below the zero mark for the first time. The government weather station reported a minimum of 5 below.

Dakota. Some sections of the U. S. escaped the freezing weather but it was 26 below at Winnipeg, Canada; 24 below at Huron, S. D., and 20 below at Moorhead, Minn.

Snow flurries were expected in northwestern Virginia. Heavy frost and temperatures of 26 to 32 were forecast for northern Florida.

Generally fair weather, accompanying a rise in temperatures at some points, was predicted for the south Sunday.

Minneapolis reported a reading of 12 below. At Chicago it was zero. Other temperatures ranged from Kansas City's 10, Buffalo's 16, Nashville's 18 and Little Rock's 26 to 34 at Raleigh, N. C., and Boston, 58 at Miami and 64 at Key West, Fla. Atlanta reported 23.

New York, Philadelphia, Washington and Atlantic City had temperatures hovering around the freezing point.

EIGHT JAILED FOR BLAST THAT KILLED THREE
Elizabethtown, Tenn., Jan. 8.—(AP)—Eight persons were jailed today—two on murder charges—in the investigation of a dynamite blast that wrecked a home and killed three children.

Deputies arrived here from Pikeville, Tenn., with two men sheriff J. M. Moreland said were charged with murder. The sheriff named them as White Toilet and Lee Walker, and said a murder warrant had been issued for Crave Toilet, a brother of White.

Five other men and a woman were detained for questioning but no formal charges had been placed against them and their names were not disclosed.

Sheriff Moreland said he was working on a theory the dynamite was hidden in the wreckage of a Harmon Gouge home a pile of splintered wood and killed the children, Sonia, 9, Luena, 7, and Roma Jean Gouge, 5. Mrs. Gouge, the mother of the children, was injured seriously.

Only Small Number Of Stranded Ship's Crew Became Drunk
Washington, Jan. 8.—(AP)—The commerce department said today that five of 45 men on passengers on the steamship President Hoover showed "a relatively small number" of the crew "became drunk and disorderly" after the liner ran aground off Formosa the night of December 10.

The affidavits concerned "incidents which took place on the island, Hoshoto, after the stranding of the \$8,000,000 liner."

The report said statements all point out "that a very small number was involved in this disorderly conduct and several of the statements refer favorably to certain individuals and to the majority of the crew in general."

The statements were obtained by the American consul at Hongkong at the request of the commerce department for use in connection with an investigation into the stranding of the ship. None of the statements touched on the navigation of the ship.

Two Convicted Slayers Reprieved From Death in Chair at Chester Monday

Gov. Horner Orders Execution Stayed Until Feb. 21

Chester, Ill., Jan. 8.—(AP)—Mrs. Marie Porter, mother of four children, and Angelo Ralph Giancola, under sentences of death in the electric chair, received their second stays of execution today.

Governor Henry Horner granted them reprieves until Friday, Jan. 21. Their executions had been set for early Monday morning at the southern Illinois prison for the wedding day slaying of William Kappen, Mrs. Porter's brother.

Governor Horner at Springfield said the action was taken in order that their petitions for clemency may be considered by the state pardon board at its regular meeting Tuesday. Previously he had set aside the order of the trial judge fixing their execution on Dec. 15.

Was Optimistic
Mrs. Porter, although apparently depressed at times, has often declared she was sure she would not be executed. Giancola, who testified he was the triggerman in the St. Clair county shooting, has remained morose and silent.

If Mrs. Porter is executed, she will be the first woman to die in Menard's chair.

Mrs. Gertrude Puhse of Granite City and Mrs. Minnie Mitchell of East St. Louis, the only other women sentenced to death there, both escaped through last minute commutations from Gov. Horner, who has said he will not permit a woman to be executed while he is governor.

Sixteen men have died in the Menard chair, seven of them from St. Clair county.

Giancola's brother, John, was sentenced to serve 99 years in prison after testifying Mrs. Porter plotted Kappen's death last July 3, to collect \$3300 in insurance, and hired the Giancola's to kill him.

Nine Babies, Seven Nurses Saved From Blaze Early Today
Chicago, Jan. 8.—(AP)—Nine babies and seven mothers were assisted from their beds and moved to safety by nurses when fire broke out early today in a closet on the second floor of the Foundlings' home.

Miss Mary Protheroe, night duty nurse, discovered the fire. With the aid of other nurses she awakened the babies and mothers, and assisted them to the offices of the home on the first floor.

Firemen extinguished the minor blaze.

SATURDAY, JAN. 8, 1938
By The Associated Press
For Chicago and Vicinity—Fair tonight and Sunday; continued cold tonight, lowest temperature zero to 2 above; not so cold Sunday afternoon; gentle westerly winds, becoming light variable to night.

Illinois: Fair, continued cold tonight; Sunday fair in east, increasing cloudiness in west portion, not so cold in afternoon.

Wisconsin: Fair, continued cold tonight, Sunday generally fair in east, increasing cloudiness in west portion, slowly rising temperature.

Iowa: Fair in east, increasing cloudiness in west, light snow in extreme west, not so cold in central and west portions tonight; Sunday light snow, slowly rising temperature.

OUTLOOK FOR WEEK
Chicago, Jan. 8.—(AP)—Weather outlook for the period January 10 to 15:

For the region of the Great Lakes: Snow west portion Monday and Tuesday and east portion Tuesday and Wednesday, snow again near close of week; temperature mostly below normal.

For the upper Mississippi and lower Missouri valleys: Light snow Monday and some precipitation again about Thursday or Friday; temperature mostly below normal.

For the northern and central Great Plains: Little precipitation indicated; temperature mostly near or below normal.

Sunday—Sun rises at 7:29; sets at 4:46.

Monday—Sun rises at 7:29; sets at 4:47.

400 TAKE EXAMS FOR DOWNSTATE WELFARE JOBS

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 8.—(AP)—More than four hundred persons from 86 counties took written examinations today in their efforts to get the controversial job as superintendent of public welfare in the downstate counties.

Nominees from Fulton county presented their credentials at the last minute, making the 86th county. A. L. Bowen, director of public welfare, and John C. Weigel, head of the state's pension division, refused to comment about procedure in the other 15 counties which ignored Governor Horner's demand that nominations be made from both parties.

Three of the five rejected Republican nominees from Sangamon county showed up but were refused blanks.

Applicants who make a grade of 60 today will be given an oral examination later. Those who finally pass will be certified to the county boards for appointment.

The written test involved the federal and state security and other laws and included some "judgment questions," of which was "why do you want the job?"

KELLOGG LEAVES \$761,000 ESTATE
Requests Totalling \$350,000 Made By Instrument

St. Paul, Jan. 8.—(AP)—Frank B. Kellogg, distinguished statesman and former United States secretary of state, who died Dec. 21, left an estate with a probable value of \$761,000 according to his will filed for probate today in Ramsey county probate court.

The petition listed personal property estimated at \$750,000 and real estate with a probable value of \$11,000.

Requests totalling approximately \$350,000 were made, the residue bequeathed to Mrs. Clara Kellogg, the widow.

Kellogg left \$25,000 for loans to needy, worthy students in the University of Minnesota college of law.

A bequest of \$100,000 was set aside for the Protestant Episcopal cathedral foundation of the District of Columbia.

The largest bequest in which any specific sum is mentioned was \$175,000 in securities and properties for a trust fund for a sister, Mrs. Jean J. Justin of New Bedford, Mass., and her daughter, Mrs. Jean K. Stanton, also of New Bedford.

Guy Chase, who was Kellogg's law partner in the St. Paul firm of Kellogg, Morgan, Chase, Carter and Headley, was left \$50,000.

Six Persons Held For Hog Thievery
Sycamore, Ill., Jan. 8.—(AP)—Police related today a tale of hog barter which developed into charges of hog theft against six persons held in De Kalb county jail.

Those named in warrants charging grand larceny obtained by James Wiley were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Newiss, occupants of a farm owned by Wiley at Hinckley, Ill.; Walter Procyzyn, 53; Walter Procyzyn Jr., 28, and John Klein, 30, all of Aurora, and E. H. Perkins, 39, of Lake City, Iowa.

Wiley charged that Newiss gave the elder Procyzyn five of Wiley's hogs, worth \$20 each, instead of five \$5 payments on a radio. Wiley alleged the younger Procyzyn, Klein and Perkins helped haul away the hogs.

Floating Patch of Oil, Broken Life Preserver Tell Plane's Fate
San Pedro, Calif., Jan. 8.—The coast guard reported today a floating patch of oil and a broken life preserver were found by the crew of one of its cutters near San Clemente island, giving rise to increasing fear that the navy's missing bomber with seven aboard had crashed into the Pacific.

Samples of the oil and the piece of preserver were turned over to naval authorities.

The portion of the life-preserver bore the letters "U. S. S." and either an "N" or an "M" but marine men said it might be from any one of the host of surface ships or airplanes that have been searching for the giant seaplane.

The navy's greatest search for a missing craft had entered its third day with waning hope.

Given up for dead was Cadet Scott P. Hawkins, 29, of Jefferson City, Mo., who fell from his plane Thursday while engaged in the search.

The seven aboard the missing 25-ton, twin-engine bomber were Lieut. Truman E. Carpenter, 28, pilot, of Passumpsic, Vt.; Aviation Cadet Philip O. Browning, 23, co-pilot, Lees Summit, Mo.; Edgar Anglin, 37, aviation chief machinist mate, Norfolk, Va.; G. A. Mills, 22, radio man, third class, Prescott, Mich.; C. C. Creech, 22, aviation machinist mate, National City, Calif., and Joe Adair, radio man, third class, Caruthersville, Mo.

Invitation

Portland, Ore., Jan. 8.—(AP)—Lowell Mellett, former Washington, D. C., editor, went to the phone when informed Washington was calling. A friend asked: "How about having lunch with me?"

"I'll be glad to when I get back to Washington," Mellett replied.

The friend gasped. Not knowing Mellett was 3,500 miles away, he had asked his secretary to get him on the phone.

REBEL GARRISON SURRENDERS IN TERUEL CITADEL

Starvation, Thirst, Cold Overwhelms Band of 2000

Madrid, Jan. 8.—(AP)—The agonies of thirst, cold and hunger in embattled Teruel forced the surrender today of more than 2,000 ragged insurgent soldiers and their wives and weakened women and children.

For 17 days they stood against government guns, fire and dynamite in guerilla warfare from building through the narrow and twisting streets of the old provincial capital, 160 miles east of Madrid.

A reinforced insurgent army outside the city fought in vain to come to their rescue, and they bowed at last to the hardship of siege against their hideouts in Asuncion hospital and the dynamite-wrecked Santa Clara church.

The unsuccessful rescuing army itself was encountering trouble—230 insurgents were captured during the battle about Muela de Teruel, outside Teruel, the government said.

Other Activity
Elsewhere on the war front, activity included bombardment of Barcelona on the northeastern Mediterranean coast. A German bomber flier from Palma, Isle of Mallorca, dropped incendiary bombs which started numerous fires.

Five insurgent planes raided Sagunto with little damage. One of the planes was sunk in the sea.

There was a sharp skirmish last night in University City, suburban Madrid. Machine gun and mortar fire were audible and there were occasional bursts of artillery.

Bombing and machine-gunning of two important insurgent communication centers, Calamocha and Calatayud, were reported. Two government planes were downed by anti-aircraft in raids along the Sanblas sector.

Miss Cleinmark of Amboy Passed Away
Miss Sophia Cleinmark passed away at her home in the northwestern part of Amboy at 4:15 o'clock Friday afternoon after an illness of several months duration. Funeral services will be held at St. Patrick's Catholic church in Amboy at 9 o'clock Monday morning.

Miss Cleinmark was born in Chicago Sept. 14, 1867 and had lived in Amboy for about 65 years. She is survived by one brother, Joseph Cleinmark, of Amboy.

Taking Advantage
Chicago, Jan. 8.—(AP)—John Schumake went to the basement of his filling station to tend to the furnace. When he came up he found only one wall of his station standing.

In the interim a large transport truck had careened into the structure, virtually demolishing it.

Awakened By Dog
Centerville, Ill., Jan. 8.—(AP)—J. B. Jones, 47, was seriously burned early today when the tavern he operated four miles east of here was destroyed by fire. Jones, who slept in the building, was awakened by the barking of a dog and fled to a nearby farmhouse.

JAP FORCES STIR POLICE IN SHANGHAI

Jap Guns Trained On French Troops In Concession

Tokyo, Jan. 8.—(AP)—Domei (Japanese news agency) reported today Premier Prince Fumimaro Koye had sought an understanding with his cabinet to continue the war against China for four more years.

A four-year replenishment plan, Domei said, was being worked out along that line for presentation to parliament.

Shanghai, Jan. 8.—(AP)—Japanese guns were trained on French troops within the French concession for an hour today as an American official of the Shanghai municipal council protested repeated assaults on settlement police.

The international incident was the second in two days in which Japanese forces attacked police in the foreign areas.

A French concession policeman of Russian nationality, was struck in the face by a Japanese soldier. The policeman had intervened to prevent the soldier from beating a Chinese woman attempting to escape from Nantao into the French concession for water.

Other Japanese soldiers tried to drag the policeman across the boundary into Nantao. When he fled, the Japanese ranged rifles and machine guns along the concession border. French armored cars were brought up to reinforce the frontier.

The municipal council's strenuous protests were lodged with Suemasa Okamoto, Japanese consul-general, by Corney S. Franklin, its American chairman.

Japanese Warned
After two British policemen were beaten yesterday the British commander, Major General A. P. D. Telfer-Smollett, protested to Japanese authorities, warning that a recurrence might lead to "gravest consequences."

French officials were considering a formal protest against today's incident.

Chinese press reports, meanwhile, said wharves, the railway station and public buildings had been destroyed by Chinese forces at Haichow, Kiangsu province, eastern terminus of the Lunghai trunk railroad, carrying out China's "scorched earth" policy of leaving the Japanese only ruins.

Agreement Reached
While the potential fighters today faced each other tensely, French consul Pierre Auge took up the matter with the Japanese consul.

They reached an agreement which for the moment ended the incident with withdrawal of troops.

(Reuters, British news agency, reported in a Shanghai dispatch that Japanese marines had occupied the British-owned New Asia hotel in the international settlement, and that two Union Jacks were hauled down.)

Meanwhile, the fury of the war centered 400 miles to the northwest of Shanghai along the east-west Lunghai railway, China's "last line of defense."

Japanese reported capture of Tsohsien in their southward drive through Shantung province, designed to win control of the railway. Chinese denied loss of the city.

Japanese also reported capture of Yenchow and Taining in a drive down the Tientsin-Pukow railway.

Eighteen Chinese airplanes, eight of them Russian-made, were shot down in an air raid at Nanchang, a Japanese naval spokesman said. The Japanese lost one pursuit plane.

Mrs. Lillian Harned Former Dixon Woman Passed Away Today

Mrs. Lillian Harned, mother of Blake Grover, late city clerk of Dixon, died in Chicago at 5:45 A. M. today. Mrs. Harned had resided in Chicago the past three years. The body will arrive here tonight and funeral services will be at the Grover home at 2:30 P. M. Monday. An obituary will follow.

U. S. AND BRITAIN MOVING TOWARD NEW TRADE PACT

Anglo-American Economic Tie-Up Proves Globe-Girdling

Washington, Jan. 8—(AP)—The United States and Great Britain moved today toward final stages of a significant commercial accord climaxing Secretary Hull's foreign trade program.

The proposed pact which Hull formally proclaimed last night his intention of negotiating with the United Kingdom will involve a globe-girdling market.

It will embrace not only Britain but her far-flung colonial empire and Newfoundland. Only India, the Dominions and Ireland will be excluded.

Actual negotiation of the agreement, designed to achieve mutual tariff concessions, will begin as soon as American interests have made known their views concerning specific items of commerce.

List of Imports

Secretary Hull made public a long list of imports upon which the United States will consider granting concessions. Accompanying it was a notice that public hearings would be opened here March 14 for interested parties.

British and American economic experts have been engaged for more than a year in preliminary work on the projected agreement. A British trade mission will come here next month to conduct final parleys.

The list of potential American concessions includes whiskey and other spirits, dressed fur, tin, rubber, boots and shoes, gloves, leather goods, woolen and cotton textiles and certain types of salted and pickled fish.

Britain has not yet announced the products on which it will consider tariff concessions.

ROBBER SUSPECT SEEN IN CHICAGO

May Be Bandit Who Flew With \$500 In City Loop

Chicago, Jan. 8—(AP)—The detective bureau said today that a man who abandoned a stolen automobile in Gary, Ind., and came to Chicago, where he arranged for the purchase of a railroad ticket to Danville, Ill., may be one of two robbers who fled with \$1,500 after locking 14 employees of a loop finance company in a vault Wednesday.

Gary police reported the automobile was listed as stolen January 4 at Danville and bore Indiana license plates stolen the same day at Chicago, where he arranged for the purchase of a railroad ticket to Danville, Ill., may be one of two robbers who fled with \$1,500 after locking 14 employees of a loop finance company in a vault Wednesday.

Police said a pistol and a news paper account of the Chicago robbery were found in a compartment of the car. They said the driver came to Chicago by bus and asked directions to a south side railroad depot.

Detectives learned that a messenger boy had purchased a ticket to Danville at the depot for a man who received a telegraphed money order from Danville. The ticket was purchased for a train leaving late Thursday night, police said.

Four Suggestions To Balance Budget Received By House

Washington, Jan. 8—(AP)—Four suggestions for balancing the Federal budget were placed before the House by Representative Mason (R-Ill.).

Mason said the administration should end gold purchases, end silver purchases, cease "spending money for dams out west to irrigate desert areas," and improve its administration of relief funds.

He declared \$500,000,000 of the last relief fund of \$1,500,000,000 might have been saved "and the same relief provided. If proper methods of handling the fund had been adopted."

LODGE NEWS

R. A. M. Reception

The official reception for officers of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of Illinois, will be held Monday evening at the Brinton Memorial Masonic Temple. A banquet will be served at 6:30 to be followed by the reception, which is expected to be attended by about 300 Masons.

HEAVY ON WEAK COMPANIES

The company that is most hurt by the undistributed profits tax is that which operated at a loss during a substantial portion of the depression and is now emerging with a relatively small profit for its invested capital. It finds the increased volume of business requiring additional working capital to the extent that it outstrips its available funds and it finds other sources of capital not readily available. It may have been necessary to use its capital during the depression to pay for its losses and keep its head above water.—The Annalist.

\$225,593,736

Illinois Income for 1937 Announced by State Treasurer

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 8—(AP)—The state government's income neared the quarter billion dollar mark in 1937.

Receipts from all sources last year totaled \$225,593,736, announced Treasurer John C. Martin. Showing another yearly increase, the revenue figures compared with \$194,475,512 in 1936 and \$154,615,605 in 1935.

The state reduced the principal of its bonded debt by \$10,285,000 in 1937 and started the new year with a gross treasury balance of \$62,537,069, Martin said.

The retail sales tax, bringing in \$83,040,458, was the state's biggest revenue producer. In 1936 it aggregated \$69,866,490.

Of the major tax sources, only beverage and liquor revenues showed a drop during 1937, aggregating \$10,788,387 compared with \$11,105,652 the previous year.

The gasoline tax brought in \$38,949,608, up from \$35,433,014, and the motor vehicle licenses totaled \$21,382,188, compared with \$18,685,682.

Other revenue sources, with comparative figures for 1936:

Direct property tax, \$1,484,670 in 1937 and \$1,444,596 in 1936; inheritance tax, \$7,482,582 and \$3,771,047; insurance fees and taxes, \$6,995,509 and \$6,631,871; corporation fees and taxes, \$3,816,991 and \$3,597,131; interest on state funds, \$141,968 and \$156,142.

Public utility tax, \$6,777,153 and \$6,922,625; federal aid to roads, \$15,648,505 and \$18,449,527; federal aid to old age assistance, \$11,383,954 and \$3,533,292; Illinois Central railroad, \$1,862,972 and \$1,762,594; miscellaneous fees, earnings and refunds, \$8,258,903 and \$6,639,930; trust funds, \$7,678,871 and \$5,975,912.

For the month of December, Martin announced the treasury received \$18,227,415 and paid out \$22,033,896, of which more than \$4,000,000 was on the two emergency relief bond issues.

CO-OPERATIVE GRAIN MARKET PROGRAM OKAY

Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 8—(AP)—Expansion of the co-operative grain marketing program in Illinois was authorized at a meeting last night of delegates from 65 farmers' elevators and 50 county farm bureaus.

Twenty-four representatives of elevators were named to meet with a committee of the Illinois agricultural association to draw up methods of procedure.

Spokesmen said marketing facilities and more representatives probably would be placed in terminal markets, Illinois river ports and downstate offices.

A meeting of the joint committee in Chicago January 20 to consider finances was announced by George L. Potter of Pontiac, president of the Illinois grain corporation, who presided last night.

Among the speakers at the session were Earl C. Smith, president of the Illinois agricultural association; Donald Kirkpatrick, general counsel; and Eugene Curtis and Arthur Burwash of Champaign, directors of the grain corporation.

30,000 Italians To Work German Farms This Year

Rome, Jan. 8—(AP)—Thirty thousand Italians will go to Germany in March to work as farm hands under an agreement between the Italian and German governments.

The arrangement announced today will absorb some of Italy's surplus farm labor and give Germany needed agricultural workers in the Reich's campaign to increase its food production.

KNOT HOLE NEWS

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News Item: Miss Carrie Smithers reported the loss of twenty dollars to the sheriff today. She claims the money was in her stocking, and the loss discovered soon after a vacuum cleaner salesman had departed after demonstrating his line.

Frightened Man: Listen Sheriff, you better lock me up. I hit my wife on the head with a hammer.

Sheriff: Did you kill her?

Frightened Man: No, that's why I want to be locked up before she finds me.

And don't let your wife find you coming back from your lumber yard without that paint she wants to paint the kitchen.

Blanche: My husband travels so much that each time he comes home, he seems like a perfect stranger.

Gert: Oh, how thrilling.

You can save yourself a lot of traveling if you head straight for our yard.

He: This is absolutely final. I'm going.

She: And must I return your letters?

He: If you please. There's some good material in them I might use again.

Mrs. NuRich: Listen Ruth, please don't wear any jewelry when you are serving the guests tonight.

Ruth: Well, really madam, I don't have anything of great value, but I appreciate the tip.

AUTO INDUSTRY REVIVING AFTER HOLIDAY RECESS

Back-to-Work Movement Seen In All Big Plants

Detroit, Jan. 8—(AP)—A back-to-work trend in the automobile industry was under way today after holiday layoffs.

The Chrysler Corp. announced last night that the 55,000 persons who were working in its plants at the time of the curtailment December 23 would return Tuesday.

It did not state whether the resumption of operations would be on the normal 40-hour week or the 32-hour schedule placed in effect for those who remained on duty after December 23.

The Hudson Motor Car Co. said this week. It would "put money and men back to work" in announcing the expenditure of \$11,000,000 for materials and equipment to begin immediate production of a new car in the low-priced field.

It said it would increase its workers from 6,000 to 12,000 within the next few weeks, adding \$1,250,000 a month to its factory payroll.

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NEXT WEEK'S WEATHER



Weather and the Location of Cities

When we take a map of the world and spot-in the location of the big cities they seem to be more or less haphazardly placed upon the surface of the earth without any general plan, but when we draw in the tracks followed by storms, we see a plan fairly leap out before our eyes. Cities are usually built near storm tracks, where weather is stormiest. In those parts of the earth where storms are few or feeble we find great empty expanses like Siberia, Africa and equatorial South America. The torrid zone is decidedly empty from a human point of view. People live in all these places but, somehow, big cities like New York, London, Paris, Tokyo and Chicago are never placed deep in the torrid zone.

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As Forecast by Prof. SELBY MAXWELL Noted Meteorologist

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Question—Do you expect precipitation in Kansas and Nebraska for 1938 to be about normal? (H. H.)

Answer—Probably good in spring and early summer, poorer in late summer and late fall.

Question—Can Venus ever be the evening star one evening and the morning star the very next morning? (S. C.)

Answer—Theoretically this would be possible, if Venus should pass between the earth and the sun near midnight. At such a time the night side of Venus would necessarily be turned toward the earth near midnight. At such a time the night side of Venus would necessarily be turned toward the earth and we would probably experience much difficulty in seeing the planet. However, sharp eyes have actually detected Venus when quite near the sun.

Question—What are the prospects for moisture next spring and summer for N. E. Dakota? These parts have no sub-soil moisture whatever and no snow up to the present time. (R. L.)

Answer—After spring starts there may be some rain there. I hardly expect much precipitation before then.

Question—Do you think there are people on Mars? (C. S.)

Answer—We have no way of knowing what the inhabitants of Mars look like but they seem to exist and to possess a high order of intelligence. Scientists never refer to the possible inhabitants of Mars as "people." They call them "intelligent beings."

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Society News

CALENDAR

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Dixon Woman's Club—St. Luke's church.
Regional meeting of Third District of the State Nurses Association—K. S. B. Nurses home.
Junior Auxiliary of American Legion—At Legion hall.
Past Matrons Club—Mrs. Florence Bastain.

Monday
Woman's Relief Corps—G. A. R. hall.
Chapter AC, P. E. O.—Miss Ruth Dyart.
Board of League of Women Voters—Miss Franc Ingraham.
Peoria Avenue Reading club—Mrs. C. B. Morrison.

Tuesday
P. T. A. Meeting—Nachusa Highland Avenue club—Mrs. John H. Byers.
school.

Wednesday
Birthday Supper—Franklin Grove Church of the Brethren.
Palmyra Aid society—Mrs. Will Weisz.

Thursday
Scramble dinner and card party for Elks and their ladies—At Elks club.

Methodist Forum Reorganized As The Oxford Club

Inspired by the great success of their summer meetings, and looking forward to a winter and spring full of activities both religious and social, the Young People of the Methodist church, under the great leadership of Rev. Buxton reorganized what was formerly known as the "Forum" and have taken the name of "The Oxford Club."

They selected as president, one who was formerly a leader of the Wesleyan Foundation, at the University of Illinois; more recently co-chairman of the summer program, selected at the last conference held at Rockford, Ill., to represent the young people of the district known as Joliet-Dixon district; Homer B. Schildberg and the group are planning for great events under his leadership.

Besides Mr. Schildberg as president, they selected the following officers:

Program committee chairman, Naomi Wolf; assistant chairman, Charles Ross; assistant chairman, Edward Lawton; Secretary, Lawrence L. Leydig; assistant, Helen Miller; assistant, Rosemary Walker; assistant, Freddie Yeager; treasurer, Mildred Ransom; social committee chairman, Mila Wohnke; assistants, Dorothy Hurst and Doris Derby; special committee, Mrs. Freddie Yeager, Norma Du Gosh, Marguerite Ford.

The first cabinet meeting is called for Sunday evening, Jan. 9, at 6:30 adjournment will be so timed that the young people may attend the panel discussion in which the youth leaders of Dixon will take part.

The first official meeting of the Oxford club will then take place on Jan. 16, and great plans are going forth for this meeting, and it is hoped that the success of the Oxford club will be as great as the success of the summer program that the young people attained.

Aid Society Has Regular Session

The Ladies Aid society of St. Paul's Lutheran church met in regular session in the church parlors Thursday afternoon. The newly-elected officers assumed their duties and the president, Mrs. Fred Johnson, presided. A number of inspiring hymns were sung and a Psalm of Praise was read responsively for the Scripture lesson. Mrs. L. W. Walter led in prayer.

During the business session the treasurer, Mrs. Hubbard, gave the report for the past year and it was voted to pay the last installment on the pledge to the building fund. Plans for future work were presented.

The hostesses, Mesdames John Martenson, Frank Marshall, Leo Marshall and Emil Neff served tasty refreshments and a social hour was enjoyed.

PALMYRA AID SOCIETY TO MEET

The Palmyra Aid society will hold an all-day meeting with a picnic dinner Wednesday, Jan. 12, at the home of Mrs. Will Weisz, 109 Everett street. Roll call will be answered by "Suggestions for the New Year." A good attendance is desired.

TO ENTERTAIN FOR WEEK END

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Hyde will entertain this week end for Mrs. Mary French of Grand Detour. Mrs. French will celebrate her 86th birthday Monday.

READING CLUB TO MEET MONDAY
The Peoria Avenue Reading club will meet with Mrs. C. B. Morrison, 122 Dement avenue, Monday.

In absolute darkness a cat can see no better than a human being.

Christian Church Society Met With Mrs. F. C. Sproul

The Women's Missionary society of the Christian church met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. C. Sproul. The meeting was opened by all singing "Have Thine Own Way, Lord" and Rev. J. A. Barnett led in prayer.

The vice president, Miss Bess Johnson, presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. S. A. Bennett. There was a short business meeting after which Mrs. Kindig gave the offertory prayer.

Mrs. Ward Hall led the devotions and read a part of the 15th chapter of John relating to friendship after which "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" was sung. Mrs. J. A. Barnett had prepared the program. Mrs. Kindig told of the religion of Mohammed and his life and ambitions. Mrs. Palmer read of the "Moslem Gifts to the Christian World" and Mrs. Don Anderson favored with a lovely vocal solo. Mrs. Frank Gates read a chapter of the book "Rebuilding Rural America" and the benediction closed the program.

During the social hour refreshments were served by Mrs. Sproul and Mrs. Hall.

Norma Crawford Is Chosen Candidate

Norma Crawford, Dixon high school senior, has been accepted by the Dixon chapter of D. A. R. as one eligible to be sent to Washington.

Each year the national chapter of D. A. R. selects one girl from each state to be its guests at the nation's capital with all expenses paid. Three candidates are first selected by members of high school senior classes with consideration to outstanding citizenship, service and patriotism. These three from each school are voted down to one by the high school faculty and the name submitted to local D. A. R. chapters. Each chapter thus submits one name to the state and the final selection is made by chance drawings.

Miss Crawford will represent Dixon chapter's entry and drawings are expected to be made in the early spring.

Auxiliary And St. Agnes Guild Enjoy Afternoon

St. Agnes Guild and the Auxiliary of St. Luke's Episcopal church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ben T. Shaw. Twenty-six members were in attendance.

At the December meeting of the Guild the following were elected to office: Mrs. Elmer Reynolds, president; Mrs. Theodore Fuller, vice-president; Mrs. Robert Sterling, secretary; and Mrs. Warren G. Murray, treasurer. At the meeting held yesterday the auxiliary held an election which resulted in the choice of Mrs. Ira Lanphier for president; Mrs. E. N. Howell, vice-president; Mrs. George Fries, secretary; and Mrs. Mary Pankhurst Harvey, secretary. Mrs. Ralph Ferguson was named custodian of the United Thank offering.

After business routine Mrs. Shaw served tea and a social was much enjoyed. The next meeting will be January 21 at the home of Misses Gracia and Laura Rogers.

Former Dixonite Is in New Movie

In the current issue (Jan. 10) of the magazine Newsweek there is a picture of Mrs. Louella Parsons, formerly of Dixon, along with a review of the recently released movie, "Hollywood Hotel," in which Mrs. Parsons makes her debut as an actress by impersonating herself as the famous Hollywood columnist and radio personality that she is.

Mary Pickford, who took over the Parsons column to review the performance wrote of the former Dixonite: "Not the least notable contribution of 'Hollywood Hotel' is Louella O. Parsons' debut as an actress. She plays herself in the film—and a very pretty and slender and charming self she is, too."

SPECIAL OFFER

Women in society will appreciate our special offer of 50 informal panel folders with envelopes to match and 100 engraved calling cards all for the special price of \$3.25. This offer is good for the months of January and February only. B. F. SHAW PTG. CO. if

ROCKFORD PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lager were dinner guests Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Leland in Rockford.

DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lager were dinner guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. F. X. Newcomer.

BOARD TO MEET

The board of the League of Women Voters will meet Monday night with Miss Franc Ingraham.

Girl Scouts

Scribes Relate Activities of Local Organization

Happy New Year everyone! From all indications the troop scribes are not beginning the new year right. Among the resolutions they "forgot" to make, was the one "I shall make every effort to get my Girl Scout troop report in to the Girl Scout headquarters, not later than midnight every Thursday." However we feel that it isn't too late to make it now.

We sincerely hope that you were as happy and as excited as we, when you saw that we are sure enough going to have our very own camp, this coming summer.

This week we have only two troops to tell you about.

Troop I
As you know, most all of the Girl Scout troops of Dixon caroled, the week before Christmas, our troop toured the north side of town the preceding Wednesday night. We ended up at the home of one of our convalescent members, Patsy Alexander. Each Scout brought a toy for the grab bag which were given to the Goodfellows.

Our meeting of January 5th, was very interesting. Who knows maybe some of us will be reporters or even editors. We were very graciously shown through the Shaw Printing Co. by one of the city editors, Charles Ross. This meeting was for those particularly interested in the Journalist badge.

The Telegraph and The Associated Press ran a special ten minute service to show what is called teletype. As we were taken through the plant the men at each machine explained its mechanism to us. They were showered by our numerous questions because we were not going to let one valuable piece of information slip by us. The Girl Scouts aren't the only ones who have "thriftiness" as a law, the metals used for the plates are remelted and used over and over again.

We, the Scouts of Troop I wish to express our appreciation to the Dixon Evening Telegraph for allowing us this privilege. We enjoyed every minute of the tour.

Our next meeting will be at the regular time and place and come prepared to work on puppets.

Scribe—Jeanne Moore.
The office wishes to thank Jeanne for her excellent account, of their visit to the Telegraph. We are hoping it will inspire some of our other scribes.

Troop II

Caroled the Tuesday before Christmas, at the Dixon hospital and ended with a party at Lieutenant Jones's for refreshments.

Our first meeting this year was held Jan. 3, 1938. A discussion was held on requirements for ranks and badges, to be worked on between now and May.

Scribe—Donna Hannekan

Mrs. Katherine Ballou who has been a patient many weeks at the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital will be taken to the home of her brother Barry Lennon Sunday. Mrs. Ballou is getting along nicely.

Club Women Hear Review of Novel

The Helsingfors prize novel "Katriina", written by Sally Sallminen, a servant, in one night and three afternoons while she was at her work as a domestic in the United States, was very ably and charmingly reviewed by Mrs. W. S. McColey at the event sponsored by the Dixon Woman's Club in the music room of the high school Friday afternoon.

The story is the simple tale of a lovely young girl, daughter of a north of Finland farmer, who married a sailor and, thrilled by his stories of estates in distant lands, sailed with him to the Alland island, where she found disillusionment. The story of the readjustment of her life with her lazy, ne'er-do-well husband, is one of supreme courage and great love.

The novel, which won a prize of 50,000 marks offered by a Scandinavian publisher, was published in Sweden last October, and won instant success, which brought fame and fortune to the author. Seldom has a work won renown so quickly.

Mrs. Adolph Eichler, chairman of the club's literature department announced the next book review will be given early in February, the date to be announced later.

Unity Guild Has All-Day Meeting

A very pleasant all-day meeting of the Unity Guild was held Thursday with Mrs. N. H. Jensen as hostess with eight members and two guests, Miss Gloria Allwood and brother.

A delicious picnic dinner was served at noon and Mrs. Marie Stackpole, president of the Guild, was pleasantly surprised with a lovely birthday cake in honor of her 76th birthday. She was also honored with a song and presented with lovely gifts from the members by Mrs. O. P. Goetz.

A short business meeting was held and letters were read from Miss May Lord and Mrs. Sinclair. Mrs. L. W. Miller read several articles from the book, "Recollections of Fifty Years" by Stockton, Ill. written by J. Nellis Klock of Benton Harbor, Mich., who edited the Stockton Herald, first paper of the town. The ladies were busy with their own work and the pleasant social time passed all too quickly.

Plans were made for the next meeting to be held Feb. 3 with Mrs. Stackpole.

Lutheran Class Enjoys Meeting

The E. R. B. class of the St. Paul's Lutheran Bible school held its first meeting of the new year Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the church.

Mrs. Emma Kested, the new president, presided and the meeting was opened with a song with Mrs. Florence Stewart at the piano. The Scripture lesson was read by Miss Olive Raffenberg and Mrs. Jay Atkins led in prayer. Roll call was answered by 21 members and Miss Laura Long gave her report on the Christmas cards sent to shut-ins. The class thanked Iva Mensch.

Joan and Daughter Ski at Quebec



Almost as tall and flashing the same smile and twinkling eyes as her actress mother, Diana Markey, 9-year-old daughter of Joan Bennett and her first husband, John Fox, is shown above enjoying a ski run with her mother near Quebec. Not as adept on the waxed boards as Joan, Diana has obviously tumbled into the snow. Diana joined her mother for the holidays during her vacation from an eastern school. Miss Bennett recently divorced Diana's foster father, Gene Markey, writer.

Gas Well Aflame—\$100,000 Sight



Chilly householders who arise on winter mornings to find the gas flickering in a feeble flame under low pressure, might well contemplate the beauty of the gas well fire pictured above, shooting flames high into the air near Los Angeles. The well "blew in" when drillers hit a swamp gas pocket. Friction later ignited the gas, ruining the well, with damage estimated at \$100,000.

Son Born After His Mother Died



Alive and well is the 4½-pound post-mortem baby son, shown above in a respirator, who was taken from his mother, Mrs. Margaret Beaver Newton, wife of a Wyoming rancher, just one minute after she died in a Cheyenne hospital. Physicians, who worked with lightning speed to save the child, said he will live.

Our Gang Club Elects Officers

A very enjoyable meeting of the Our Gang club was held Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Dorothy Butler.

The business meeting opened by electing the following new officers: Bertha Stahl, president. Edwin Levan, vice-president. Grace Levan, secretary. Dorothy Butler, treasurer.

The rest of the evening was spent playing games. First prizes were awarded to Bertha Stahl and Kenneth Wiedman and Martha Elsie and Gerald Siperly received consolation favors. The club was honored by nine visitors.

After delicious refreshments were served everyone departed for his home thanking the hostess for a very enjoyable evening. The next meeting will be held at Rinehardt Stahl's home on January 19.

DINNER PARTY

Mrs. Florence Plummer White will entertain 10 guests at a dinner party this evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lager.

New York City has a population estimated at more than 6,000,000, but its greater urban district, including large cities across the Hudson, etc., contains nearly 9,500,000 persons.

There are about 25,000 different kinds of birds in the world.

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30 YEARS A KING



Even greater cause for jubilation in Sweden than the recent 30th anniversary of his reign will be the 80th birthday next June 16 of King Gustaf V, who is almost as well-known to the world for his tennis as for his title. Although near the venerable age of four score years, he is revealed in this latest official portrait as a man of

Jobless Carpenter Given Life Term For Kidnaping

Richmond, Ind., Jan. 8—(AP)—William Chester Marcum, 30, unemployed carpenter, pleaded guilty in circuit court today to kidnaping for ransom and was sentenced to life imprisonment for his part in the Christmas Eve abduction of four persons at Centerville, Ind.

Harry C. Walter, also an unemployed carpenter, who confessed the crime with Marcum, committed suicide in the county jail Wednesday by diving from a balcony.

In signed confessions Marcum and Walter said their purpose in kidnaping 3-year-old John Bryan, Centerville banker's son, and demanding \$3,800 for his release, was "to get money to live on."

The child and three other persons abducted with him—his mother, his nurse and a grocery boy—were freed late Christmas

POSTAL MAILING LIST

Business establishments may have their mailing lists used to solicit business by mail, in connection with sales work, corrected at post offices as frequently as they may request. The corrections will be at the expense of the owners of the lists, including return postage. The same privilege is extended to mailing lists submitted by state department and municipalities, religious, fraternal and recognized charitable organizations.—United States News

ARMAMENT RACE CONTINUES

Expansion of the world's military establishment has been progressing at a prodigious rate, but there are indications that an even faster increase of armaments impends. Much of the economic activity of countries like Germany, Russia and Italy has been devoted in recent years to building highly efficient fighting organizations armed with the most modern equipment.—Financial Chronicle.



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ECCLIES GIVES REASONS FOR DEPRESSION

When Secretary Ickes and Assistant Attorney General Jackson made their radio addresses, they were not in position to be cross-examined. They could go far out on a limb without having the limb sawed off before they could retreat. It was different when Mr. Ickes, the New Deal chairman of the board of directors of the federal reserve system, appeared before the senate committee that is investigating relief and unemployment.

Mr. Eccles can not be dismissed as one reflecting the Wall Street viewpoint. He is a western banker, a leading New Dealer, and so much of a conformist to the "plan" that he was President Roosevelt's choice as the man to dominate the banking system of the United States.

It was explained by Senator Byrnes of South Carolina, chairman of the committee, that Mr. Eccles was extremely reluctant to come before the committee and testify. The senator said he did not resort to a subpoena, but thought for a while it would be necessary. Eccles did not want to embarrass the Roosevelt administration.

Strangely, it is necessary to go through all those explanations to qualify a witness; otherwise he would be discredited as a tory or an economic royalist.

Mr. Eccles itemized six factors contributing to the Roosevelt depression, as follows:

- 1. Drastic increases in the price of materials and labor costs in the spring of 1937 (which have been attributed to the administration's spending policies), the payment of the 2 billion dollar soldiers' bonus, and monopolistic labor practices.
- 2. A 35 per cent increase in inventories because of fear that strikes would interfere with production and force prices to go still higher.
- 3. A falling off of construction because of the high cost of both materials and labor.
- 4. A change in the fiscal outlook when the government sought to curtail expenditures.
- 5. Inability of the railroads to purchase needed replacement facilities because of higher material costs and increased wages.
- 6. Failure of the private utilities to expand their operations as much as they wished to expand because they did not believe conditions to be favorable.

Chairman Eccles packs a great deal into six items. Further examination disclosed that he also thinks the undistributed profits tax is a factor contributing to idleness in industry.

WOULD A MAN MAKE MONEY?

How many of us believe that capital is more interested in who holds political office than in profits?

We used to hear that Wall Street brought all the depressions when the democrats were in office, in order to discredit them and to restore republican rule. Of course, that was silly, but it was impossible for a long time to make people believe it, because of the coincidence of democrats and depressions.

We thought all that folderol had ended when the deep depression came in the administration of the republicans and President Hoover. Did the democrats go before the country and tell the voters that Mr. Hoover's administration was wrecked by Wall Street, because big business disapproved of him? Did Mr. Roosevelt, who had some small interest in the campaign of 1932, spread any such theory?

Having gone through that period in which the old excuse of business foregoes good profits in order to spite some politicians in Washington seemed to have been banished through proof that when a slump is ready it comes, regardless of party,

we thought that would not be revived.

It must be the habit, for it is back. We are being told again that business is foregoing good profits in order to discredit Roosevelt.

Jay Gould gave a complete answer to such foolishness when he said the Erie people were democrats in democratic counties, and always for the Erie.

The dollar—and we are dealing with that inanimate economic thing, the dollar—cares not whether it earns a profit under republican rule or under democratic rule, and that has already been thoroughly demonstrated. Lenin, who knew something of psychology, said a capitalist would sell out capitalism for a present profit. We have seen enough in the last few years to make us believe that. Present profit always is the issue with an invested dollar.

Assuming of the role of a martyr is the last refuge of a demagogue, and we did not expect it from a man who not long ago was proclaiming himself "master."

NO PROCESSING TAX

Paul Mallon asserts that there will be no processing tax even as a distant relative of the new farm legislation. It will be recalled that the supreme court outlawed it before because it was levied to finance control of farm operations, which operations are not matters of interstate commerce, but are local in character, and not subject to control by congress.

The farm program then took the form of a conservation act, and farmers were paid for soil conservation in accordance with the amount of land taken out of production of destructive vegetation and returned to soil building products. That seemed to be within the realm of congress and has proceeded uninterrupted.

However, there is an absence of "control" in that process, and control seems to be the ruling ambition of the administration. It is according to the Tugwell pattern, a Russian importation, whereby the ruling official controls all production, all markets, and all credit. And that is some control.

Legislation now pending is designed to set up a dictatorship over agriculture, in order that the farmer may be forced to yield up his farm to management from Washington.

All these things take money, and the original AAA legislation provided a processing tax on hogs, wheat, peanuts, and other items. When this was in the offing, the pork packers gave public notice that they were not in position to pay the tax out of a fraction of a cent a pound taken by them as profit, but would have to pass most of it back to the farmer.

Out of it all, it appeared that the farmer was paying in large part the processing taxes, while finished products were going up, and on what he consumed he paid to the retailer.

What the farmer has been receiving in soil conservation payments is from the general fund, which comes from everywhere. Perhaps the social security payments find their way to the farms.

In administration circles it is regarded as no time to put on a processing tax when the consumers of the country are complaining of high costs of food and raiment.

HOW ABOUT HOUSING?

There are many reasons why housing on a scale needed by the country fails to get started.

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2. It sometimes becomes a decided handicap. My friend, Vivian Burnet, who was a virile athlete, sailor and outdoor man who but as a boy, was his mother's model for Little Lord Fauntleroy, often said his name was a serious handicap. If his mother had called him "Bill" or "Jack" it would have helped overcome the Little Lord Fauntleroy impression that dogged him all his

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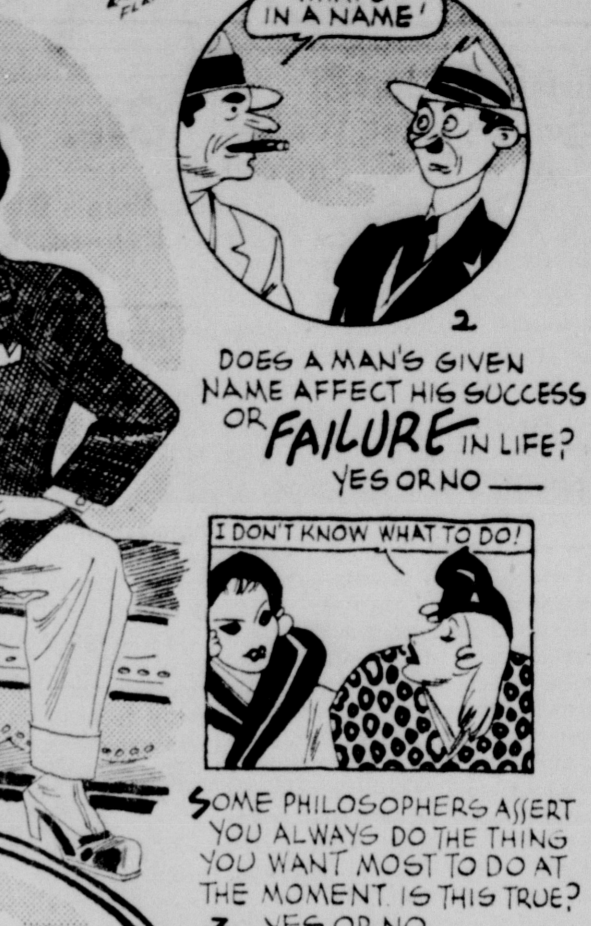
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Some three and a half months ago he scored a technical knockout over bald Marcel Thiel, champion of Europe, but Thiel's title at the time was stored safely in Paris, along with France's other treasures.

Last night the former bellhop gave classic Freddie Steele such a savage beating in the Garden that the bout was stopped in the ninth with the American 160-pounder virtually out on his feet, yet it still brought Apostoli only a wild exultation that came high bursting his chest.

"I knew I could do it," he yelled. "I've only lived the last three years to get that guy in the ring. Now if he doesn't give me a title fight I'll claim it anyway."

He might just as well start claiming for Steele, as he lay in his dressing room, wouldn't even discuss the possibility of a return encounter with the human machine gun, at any weight, Apostoli was forced to come in last night at 161-12 so it was no dice.

"I'll never fight in this town again," moaned the battered champion as an ice pack was applied to his lower groin, where a wild Apostoli left caught him in the seventh round. "They wouldn't give me half the bandage I needed for my hands."

The low punch alone clouded Apostoli's victory. It clearly was accidental, but it took a lot out of Steele. Referee Arthur Donovan held up the battle fully 10 seconds, an unprecedented action here, until Steele had recovered sufficiently to go on. Later, he blamed the punch for his defeat.

"I just was beginning to get right," he complained. "I sent a terrific pain all over my lower body. I know Apostoli didn't do it on purpose, but it won the fight for him. After that I was strictly a catcher."

It was too bad it had to happen, because it marred somewhat a great fight, one that kept 8,000 fans screaming and made the heart beat faster. As the two tore into each other round after round dealing terrible punishment, the man in the seat behind kept repeating "Oh, what a fight! Oh, what a fight!"

Steele was the perfect boxer, the sharpshooter, cool and quiet. Apostoli crowded into him, snarling and cursing in the clinches, and throwing the heavy punches. As early as the second round he staggered Steele with a right and twice beat him into the ropes. He gave the champion another bad beating in the third, but Steele never ceased fighting back.

When Steele came back to take the fourth and fifth, the champion's supporters, who had given odds of breathe easier. But Apostoli must 12 to 5 before the bout, began to only have been resting. From the moment the sixth round opened until Donovan held Steele to his corner in the ninth the San Franciscan boy was on top. The ring-siders thought he would have won without the low blow.

Steele took a terrible beating in the eighth. Apostoli clipped him with a staggering left at the out-measured the dazed champion with set, and then, by actual count, 51 more lefts and rights to the head before the bell finally sounded. It looked like Steele's head would be torn off, but he refused to go down. The crowd sighed with relief when Donovan stepped between them after 54 more seconds of the same in the ninth.

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Walnut Rallies Beats Neponset By 27-24 Count

(Telegraph Sports Service)
Walnut, Jan. 8.—Coach Noel Mosher's fast-stepping Blue and White Walnut cagers invaded Neponset Friday night and took second place in the Little Eight conference race by downing their hosts, 27 to 24.

After Neponset had gotten away to an 8 to 2 first quarter lead and had kept it 13 to 6 at half time, Peach and Bowen, high-scoring Walnut forwards, unimpaired by a bombardment of four quick goals to start the rush. Walnut then swept into a 21 to 17 lead in the third frame, and kept it thereafter.

Walnut has now won two games and lost one in the Little Eight conference:

Walnut (27)		g	ft	p	t
Peach, f	6	1	13		
Bowen, f	4	2	10		
Hoffman, c	0	0	0		
Lubbs, c	0	0	1		
Hill, g	1	2	4		
Lewis, g	0	0	2		

Neponset (24)		g	ft	p	t
C. Gunning, f	6	0	3	12	
E. Gunning, f	0	1	1		
Cinnamon, f	0	0	0		
Berry, c	2	0	4		
Bowen, c	0	0	0		
Lyle, g	2	1	5		
Rollins, g	1	0	3	2	

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BOWLING

MAJOR LEAGUE STANDINGS		won	lost
Barriages	28	14	
In and Outers	27	15	
Nash Lafayette	25	17	
Coca Cola	24	18	
Bowman's Shoe Store	20	22	
Patrick Henry	19	23	
Fellers Cleaners	14	28	
The Candy Box	11	31	

Team Records		High team game—	Low team game—
Patrick Henry	1134	In and Outers	1051
High team series—		Coca Cola	2986
Patrick Henry	2972	Individual Records	

Individual Records	
High independent game—	
Hoelscher	262
Heckman	247
Cleary	247
High independent series—	
Cleary	622
Hoelscher	635

Potters Cleaners				
arks,	132	153	148—	433
ockery	133	166	152—	451
raff	180	148	117—	445
otter	139	154	177—	470
uebner	179	179	179—	537
deps	134	134	134—	402
Totals	897	934	907—	2738

Totals	897	934	901—2732
Candy Box			
Allos	109	151	106—366
Fassen	211	167	170—548
O'Malley	162	153	159—474
Chiverton	149	130	133—412
Ide	178	202	152—532
Hdcpis	141	157	157—455
Totals	950	960	877—2787

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Nash Lafayette			
Moore	137	129	163—429
Hubbell	117	140	133—390
Murphy	121	123	132—376
Higgart	128	164	145—437
Hartzell	197	163	208—568
Hdcpis	183	193	183—549
Totals	883	882	883—2749

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Chester Barriage				
L. Fordham ..	145	139	191	475
Pritchard	145	150	179	474
White	143	83	119	345
L. Fordham ...	178	147	180	505
L. Fordham ...	129	135	132	396
Hdcpis	124	124	124	372
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Totals	864	778	925—256
In and Outers			
Schrock	156	124	128—40
Finch	150	163	156—46
Dwyer	201	145	234—58
Hoffman	150	188	173—51
Badger	145	195	164—50
Hdcpis	156	156	156—46
Totals	958	971	1011—294

Coca Cola				
Heary	160	158	192—	51
Schertner	153	194	172—	51
Scott	119	138	141—	39
Pelton	168	158	183—	50
Geolscher	188	159	178—	52
Hdcpis	80	80	80—	24
Totals	868	887	946—	270
Patrick Henry				

Teis	144	220	119—	483
Blackburn	124	214	166—	504
Thompson	144	176	198—	518
Ridibauer	138	174	181—	493
Heckman	153	171	212—	536

winter sport to members of the lodge and their invited guests. At the close of the exhibition, a social session will be enjoyed. The regular lodge meeting will be held at 7:30 instead of at 8 o'clock the exhibition to follow immediately afterward.

AMBOY DEFEATS POLO 24 TO 23

Contest Thrilling From
Start, Crowd Packs
Gym

(Telegraph Sports Service)
Amboy, Jan. 8.—Amboy's Irish cagers played for a victory last night, taking the Polo Apostles in to camp by a close score of 24 to 23. The game was played on Amboy's hardwood before a gym packed with a crowd of wild fans.

Polo took the ball on the tip-off, in this play, Polo's lanky six foot center was fouled. Woodruff sank the two free tosses offered him, making the first scores of the game. He was followed by his teammate, Kauffman, who dropped a bucket to better the score for a nice lead. Stiel of the Welty lads sunk a basket which started the game in the eyes of the Amboy fans. At the end of the initial quarter, the score stood 5 to 2 in favor of Polo.

Captain Lynch and Stiel (guard) of Amboy led the scoring in the second quarter but as the whistle blew ending the half, the score still leaned towards Polo.

The half started with each team tossing in its share of scores with Amboy slowly creeping up to Polo's lead. In the last two minutes of this period, Amboy aided by a basket thrown by Stiel tied the score, 19 to 19. Shortly after this both teams counted a basket tying up the score at the end of the third quarter, 21 to 21.

Litts Scores
Litts, in the last lap, sunk a bucket, making the score off balance. Fisher of Polo's Blue and Goldsters followed suit and again tying the score. Stiel contributed a free toss for the winning of the game. In the last ten seconds, with Amboy leading by one point, both teams called time out as the pace was terrific.

This game proved to be one of the most thrilling and evenly matched in conference playing to date. Polo's second stringers took the first game from the Amboy reserves by a score of 19 to 17.

Amboy (24)		g	ft	p	t
Powers, f	1	0	1	2	
Litts, f	1	0	0	2	
Mickey, c	0	0	0	2	
Stiel, g	4	2	1	10	
Lynch, g	4	2	3	10	

Polo (23)		g	ft	p	t
Schryver, f	1	0	2	2	
Gaylor, f	1	0	0	2	
Woodruff, c	2	5	0	9	
Kroh, g	1	0	0	2	
Kauffman, g	2	0	0	4	
Fisher, f	2	0	2	4	
Webster, c	0	0	0	0	

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Referee—Lair; umpire, Siler.

Cage Results

HIGH SCHOOLS		North Central	Rock River Valley
Dixon, 26; Rochelle, 21.			
Sterling, 25; Belvidere, 18.			
DeKalb, 23; Harlem, 22.			
Rock River Valley			
Mt. Morris, 17; Rock Falls, 15.			
Amboy, 24; Polo, 23.			
Morrison, 28; Oregon, 17.			
Big Seven			
Elgin, 46; Freeport, 16.			
West Aurora, 38; Joliet, 37 (over-time).			

Other Games		Sterling Community, 35; Freeport Aquin, 24.
Lanark, 20; Shannon, 10.		
Chadwick, 32; Milledgeville, 29.		
Leaf River, 28; Byron, 27.		
Savanna, 27; Lyons, Ia., 24.		

Colleges		Oklahoma, 49; Kansas, 46.
St. Joseph's (Phila.)	44; Davis-Elkins, 31.	
Missouri, 35; Colorado, 33.		
Washington U. (St. Louis)	37; Washburn (Topeka, Kan.)	34.
Temple, 53; Southern Methodist,	41.	
Tulane, 24; Alabama, 19.		
Oregon, 45; Texas A. & M., 32.		
U. of Washington, 38; Idaho, 28.		
Southern California, 48; University of California at Los Angeles,	31.	
N. Carolina State, 24; Georgia,	21.	
Louisiana State, 38.		
Louis (New Orleans), 39; Louisiana college, 35.		
Maine, 37; Northeastern, 36.		
California, 41; Creighton, 35.		

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4	California, 41; Creighton, 35.
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	Hdcp 71 71 71—21
	Totals 774 1026 947—274

Dixon Subdues Rochelle 26-21; Plays Postponed Belvidere Game Tonight

Superior Guarding,
Clever Stalling
Brought Win

Dixon high beat Rochelle 26 to 21 Friday night and took its place at the top of the North Central conference standings. Tonight Dixon goes to Belvidere to play the game postponed Dec. 17.

The Sharpshooters were preceded in victory by the pony team which rang up a 22 to 15 decision after holding Rochelle to a lone field goal and a basket in the first half of the game. The heavyweights managed to produce a victory by very clever stalling in the final seconds of play after the calling of a time out period which cooled off what threatened to be one of the hottest Rochelle rallies seen in the Dixon gym for several seasons.

There could be no question that Dixon's opposition last night was first class. One of the main reasons why Rochelle failed to win was a bad case of jitters after the Sharpshooters had exploded into 7 to 4 first quarter lead. Things looked easy for Rochelle until that happened as the invaders had built up a 4-0 lead on goals by Hazelton and McDaniel before Dixon scored. Then Page and Callahan fired in three quick baskets in the space of a moment's time to change the complexion of the game. However Rochelle served plenty of notice they they would be no more easy to beat next time. In fact the entire conference race appears to be a toss-up.

Show Improvement
The Sharpshooters with Page and McNamara in the line-up exhibited considerable improvement over their last two games. Page was a bulwark of the locals' defense, mulling up play after play under the basket and generally cracking up the whole Rochelle tally-making scheme. He proved such a valuable addition to the Purple and White outfit that he will be a hard man to keep off the floor in future contests. Offensively the locals aside from their deadly basket-shooting accuracy, didn't work the ball down very close to the basket by any system of plays. They didn't follow up their shots with any degree of consistency.

At half time the locals built up a 15 to 11 advantage and maintained it 23 to 17 in the third quarter. After missing several opportunities to score via the free lane at the outset of the fourth quarter both teams got busy with Rochelle opening up their attempted counter-offensive. After Hazelton tossed in two baskets to make the score 23 to 20 Dixon called a time out period and then resumed the game in complete command of the situation. McDaniel, Hazelton committed fouls on Ankeny and the Dixon center sank his gift chances.

The Dixon minors had little trouble holding Rochelle team all through the game. In the first half the locals were ahead 16 to 3. In the third quarter Dixon led 19 to 8. Rochelle came back strong in the final period but several Purple and White substitutes had replaced the regulars in the pony line-up.

LIGHTWEIGHTS		Dixon (22)			
		G	F	P	T
Rinehart, f	.....	0	0	0	
Crawford, f	.....	0	0	0	
Bevilacqua, f	.....	2	1	2	
Mathias, f	.....	0	0	1	

Bush, c	0	1	2
Kerley, g	1	0	0
Nicklaus, g	0	0	0
D. Nicklaus, f	0	0	3
Moore, f	1	0	0
Cox, f	1	1	0
Wright, f	4	1	1
Moser, f	0	0	2
Bugg, c	0	0	3
Richards, g	0	0	0
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Rochelle (15)		9	4	14	2
		G	F	P	
Lace, f	1	0	0	
Dame, f	1	0	0	
J. Tigan, c	0	1	0	
Wilson, g	1	2	1	
Degryse, g	0	1	3	
Campbell, f	0	0	0	

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TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

(By The Associated Press)

New York—
Stocks firm; motors lead recovery. Bonds higher; low priced rails in better demand.
Curb improved; specialties and utilities advance.
Foreign exchange steady; sterling and francs higher.
Cotton higher; local and trade buying.
Sugar even; steady spot market. Coffee improved; trade buying.

Chicago—
Wheat strong.
Corn unsettled.
Cattle nominally steady.
Hogs steady.

Chicago Grain Table

(By The Associated Press)

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	96	97 1/2	95 1/2	97 1/2
July	89 1/2	91 1/2	89 1/2	91 1/2
Sept.	88 1/2	90 1/2	88 1/2	90 1/2
CORN—				
May	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
July	62 1/2	63 1/2	62 1/2	63 1/2
Sept.	61 1/2	62 1/2	61 1/2	62 1/2
OATS—				
May	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
July	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Sept.	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
SOY BEANS—				
May	99	99 1/2	99	99 1/2
July	99	99 1/2	99	99 1/2
RYE—				
May	76 1/2	77 1/2	75 1/2	77 1/2
July	70 1/2	72 1/2	70 1/2	71 1/2
LARD—				
Jan.	8 1/2	8 1/2	7 1/2	8 1/2

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, Jan. 8.—(AP)—Wheat, no sales.
Corn No. 3 yellow 59 1/2; No. 4, 57 1/2; No. 5, 56 1/2; No. 2 yellow 62 1/2; No. 3, 60 1/2; No. 3 white 61 1/2; No. 4, 59 1/2.
Oats, No. 1 white 35 1/2; No. 2, 35 1/2; No. 3, 33 1/2; No. 4, 33 1/2.
Soy beans, No. 3 yellow 94 1/2; sample grade 87.
Barley No. 3 malting Illinois 90 1/2; Timothy seed 2 60/95.
Red clover 30,000/35,000; sweet clover 8,250/10,000.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Jan. 8.—(AP)—Hogs 11-100, including 10,500 direct; generally steady with Friday's average; small lots choice light hogs 8.65; practical top 8.50; few loads butchers' 260-300 lbs. 7.50/7.75; shipper's 115; holdover 10.70; compared week ago barrows and sows 1.25 lb down steady to 10 lower; heavier weights and sows steady to 10 higher.
Cattle 500; calves 100; compared Friday last week: fed steers and yearlings steady; closing trade active, due in large part to abridged receipts; undertone lower in event of sharply increased runs; beef trade broader, but not emphatically so; good and choice medium weight and heavy heifers weak but all grades light heifers strong to 25 higher, common and medium grades very active along with 4,000/5,250 culler cows and 6,500/7,100 sausage cuts; culler and grades cows and bulls 25 up, best beef cows barely steady; vealers scarce steady; 11.75; yearlings 11.25; heifers 9.50; with heavy hogs 10.25; largely steer run, with medium weight and heavy kinds predominating; hence light cattle becoming more popular; week's average price slaughter steers around 8.30; stocker and feeder trade more active at 6.00/7.00, a few heavy half-fat feeders selling at 7.25/7.75 with meaty yearlings up to 7.50.
Sheep 2500, none direct. For week ending Friday 500 direct. Compared Friday last week: fat lambs closed strong to 10 higher, instances 15/25 up, after having fluctuated widely in sympathy with varying supplies; yearlings and slaughter sheep strong to 25 or more higher; week's practical top slaughter lambs 9.15, paid Monday by shippers; final top 8.85; week's 8.50/9.00; yearlings 1.25/8.00, top woolen yearlings at outside, good shorn yearlings 6.25/6.90; double 101 lb shorn lambs Monday 8.14; top slaughter ewes 4.25, bulk 3.00/4.00.
Unofficial estimated receipts for Monday: hogs 36,000; cattle 15,000; sheep 16,000; hogs for all next week 150,000.

Chicago Produce

Chicago, Jan. 8.—(AP)—Potatoes 70, on track 181; total U S shipments 812; steady; supplies moderate; demand fair; sacked per cwt Idaho russet burbanks U S No. 1, 1.35/50.
Fruit unchanged.
Poultry, live, 3 trucks, easy; prices unchanged, dressed market steady, prices unchanged.
Butter, 562,730 lbs; unsettled; creamery standards (90 centralized cartons) 32 1/2; other prices unchanged.
Eggs 8138; easy; current receipts 21 1/2; refrigerator standards 19 1/2; firsts 19; other prices unchanged.
Butter futures, storage, stds. close Jan 31; Feb 30 1/2; Mar 30 1/2.
Egg futures, refrigerated, stds Jan. 18 1/2; Oct. 22.
Storage packed firsts Apr. 20 1/2.

Wall Street Close

(By The Associated Press)
Allegh Corp 1 1/2
Al Chem & Dye 17 1/2
Allied Srs 8
Allis Ch Mfg 49 1/2

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(By The Associated Press)
Berkhoff Brewery 7 1/2
Butler Brothers 7 1/2
Central Ill Pub Serv Pr 48 1/2
Chi Corp 2 1/2
Commonwealth Edison 27 1/2
Cord Corp 2 1/2
Electric Household 3 1/2
Great Lakes Dredging 14 1/2
Lib McN & Lib 8 1/2
Sunstrand Machine Tool 9 1/2
Swift & Co 18 1/2
Walgreen 20

Local Markets

MILK PRICE
The price for milk delivered in the last half of December is \$1.855

NET TRACK BIDS

No. 2 hard wheat 10 days 94 1/2
No. 2 white wheat 10 days 93 1/2
No. 2 red wheat 10 days 93 1/2
No. 3 yellow corn 20 days 52 1/2
No. 3 white corn 20 days 52 1/2
No. 3 mixed corn 20 days 51 1/2
No. 4 white corn 20 days 50 1/2
No. 4 yellow corn 20 days 50 1/2
No. 4 mixed corn 20 days 49 1/2
No. 2 white oats 20 days 30 1/2
No. 2 rye 20 days 71 1/2

CENSUS SHOWS

MILLIONS WANT FULL TIME JOBS
3,200,000 Employed Only On A Part Time Basis
Washington, Jan. 8.—(AP)—John D. Biggers, director of the unemployment census, reported to President Roosevelt today that the November voluntary count of jobs showed 3,200,000 persons were partly employed and wanted more work.
The report was the second in a series made by Biggers. The first, a week ago, showed that a total of 7,822,912 to 10,870,000 persons were out of work in November.
Meanwhile the state department estimated that 1,250,000 aliens had been barred from this country and kept off the labor market since Oct. 1, 1930, through enforcement by consular officers of "the excluding provisions of the immigration laws in the light of the existing unemployment situation" in this country.
In 1937, the state department said, the immigrants were 80 per cent below the immigration quota. Last year 30,898 quota visas were issued compared with the quota of 153,774. All immigration visas, including non-quota immigrants, totaled 57,865 compared with 41,202 for 1936.
The unemployment census office made a careful distinction in its report between partly-employed persons wanting more work and those not wanting more work. To those who do want more work it generally applied the term "partly employed."
The total of partly-employed who want more work included 2,641,000 men and 567,000 women.
Partial unemployment figures by states included:
East North Central 578,835
Ohio 178,538
Indiana 86,281
Illinois 162,606
Wisconsin 62,632
West North Central 306,855
Iowa 50,337
Missouri 104,360
East South Central 300,134
Kentucky 63,528

Zoning Law—

(Continued From Page One)

unanimous adoption of a motion instructing the city attorney to take any possible legal steps to prevent the completion of the locker plant.
Commissioner's Report
Commissioner Clyde Lenox requested a verbal report from Commissioners Vaile and Tyler, who were named by the mayor to represent the commission to co-operate with the officers and committee members of the cold storage company in securing a site which would not be objectionable in a residential district. Commissioner Vaile was the first to report and said:
"We met with the representatives of the cold storage company and had a plan which we assumed was in the making to change the location, transferring it to the east side of Galena avenue on state route 89. We interviewed officers of the Chamber of Commerce and the mayor and proceeded with plans with a view of making an early settlement, when I learned that work had been started on the Patrick Court location."
Commissioner Cal Tyler gave his report which corroborated that of Commissioner Vaile and added:
"Two meetings were held with the executive committee at which time the cold storage plant representatives were reminded that the city council representatives did not advise the incurrence of the ill will of property owners and urged securing another location. A meeting with parties having property suitable for such an industry was arranged. Promoters of the plant plan were also informed of the likelihood of traffic congestion on Patrick Court because of the narrowness of the street. We believed that the transfer was to be made to a lot on the east side of Galena avenue on route 89. Commissioner Vaile and myself went to some lengths to devise a manner in which to raise funds to cover the expense of the transfer, and then I learned that construction had been started on the site originally designated for the plant and which has brought forth repeated protest by citizen property owners over a period of weeks."
Commissioner Vaile then stated that he had been informed by the city attorney that there was no legal way to serve an injunction or halt the construction of the plant. He added that if by any motion or action, the council would be able to accomplish any good in relieving the condition, that he stood ready to make such a motion.
Rae Arnold, one of the objectors, queried the commissioner by asking:
"Does an ordinance require signatures of property owners 150 feet from the location of such a structure?"
Ordinance Nullified
Mayor Slothower replied stating that the Supreme Court in deciding a case against the city of Freeport, had nullified such ordinances in Illinois municipalities. He cited the fact that several neighborhood grocery stores had started in different sections of Dixon to illustrate the effect of the court's action.
"If the ordinance is no good, why does it remain on the books?" Mr. Arnold countered, to which Mayor Slothower replied that a bill had been presented by Senator Dixon at Springfield which provided for the revision of city ordinances, and added that at that time it was advisable to retain such ordinances on the books.
City Attorney Gannon in replying to a question stated that the city was powerless to act and said:
Gannon's Offer
"There never was an ordinance in Dixon which would prohibit construction of a building of that type. There is an ordinance which controls the building of gasoline service stations which has been nullified by the Supreme Court. If any attorney or attorneys can get an injunction to stop construction of that building, I will pay his or their fees in such a case."
Commissioner Tyler called attention to the increasing tendency to curtail powers of municipalities and cited instances applied locally to illustrate his contention.
"I think that it is high time that the voters of Illinois arise and tell the politicians at Springfield most emphatically and forcefully, to stop taking away the powers of municipalities in Illinois has been on the increase until they are practically powerless."
Mr. Arnold inquired of the council:
"If a zoning ordinance was adopted in Dixon after the commission has completed its duties, would it then be nullified by the Supreme Court of Illinois, provided that the commission put teeth into the ordinance?"
City Attorney Gannon replied, stating that unless found to be unreasonable, the Supreme Court would not find fault.
Christos' Grocery
Attorney Gannon then referred to the William Christos neighborhood grocery at Sixth street and Galena avenue, now under construction. A letter ordering construction of a grocery store at that location halted, was sent to the owner of the property by the city attorney. Christos' attorney was to have filed a reply which had not been received, Attorney Gannon said, in this particular case, the city attorney said, an ordinance requiring a retail store to apply for a permit appears on the ordinance books. He added that if the council was willing, he would notify Christos

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A card from Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cline locates them at Gulfport, Miss., enjoying the blooming flowers and warm weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gross were Rockford visitors Monday.

Friends here regret to learn that Rev. L. E. Winter of Minooka, former pastor of the Methodist church here has been ill with influenza. All hope that his condition will speedily improve.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keacker were in Ashton Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew C. Keacker.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Butler entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. William Schaefer of Ashton; Mr. and Mrs. William Heibenthal and daughter of Ashton; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Butler and daughter Mary Louise of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton Dockery were Monday dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dockery of Polo.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Group entertained for supper Monday evening LeRoy Lahman of Glendora, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Guy Willard of Light-house, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hood and sons.

Mrs. Chester Dierdorff received word Sunday morning of the death of Mrs. Ritter at her home in Peru. Mrs. Ritter has visited here many times and was well known in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Trottnow came out from Chicago Tuesday to spend the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Dockery were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Acker at Milledgeville.

The Phenix Bannister Chapter will meet Jan. 30th with Miss Adella Helmershausen.

LeRoy Lahman who has been visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. E. J. Wolf, returned to his home in Glendora, Calif., Thursday morning.

Supper Monday, Jan. 10

In the Methodist church notes of Wednesday evening there appeared an item that on Tuesday evening the first of a series of monthly fellowship suppers sponsored by the P. S. I. class would be held. Owing to the basketball game between Stillman Valley and the local team the supper will be on Monday evening instead of Tuesday. The supper will be at 6:30. Special surprise events and games will be the order of the evening following the scramble supper. Mrs. Abram Gilbert and Mrs. Ralph Dreger constitute the committee. The public is most earnestly invited to join in this supper.

Men Will Entertain

Jan. 12, Wednesday, at 6:30 the men of the Presbyterian church will entertain the ladies and their families and friends of the church with a supper. The committee is Rev. Grafton, Elder and Trustees of the church. After supper a program will be given consisting of Richard Hart and Andrus Griffith of Ashton; solo by Fred Kesselring, reading by Lewis Myers, music by Jesse Marvin and Jack Kelley, music by George Fruit and Lowell Trottnow, sketch by John Senger and Bill McDewitt. All members and friends of the church are invited for the supper.

Woman's Club

The Franklin Grove Woman's club met Monday afternoon, Jan. 3, at the Kersten gymnasium at 2 o'clock. The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Ruth Duncan. Three verses of "America the Beautiful" was sung by the club. Salute to the flag was led by Mrs. Elizabeth Durkes. The club collected was read by Mrs. Grace Breunier.

The next meeting will be an evening meeting to be held in the gymnasium Feb. 7, sponsored by the Junior Woman's club.

A scrambled supper for club members, husbands and boy friends will be held in the gymnasium in February the exact date to be announced later.

The meeting was then turned over to the chairman of the public welfare committee, Mrs. Grace Breunier. The first number on the program was a piano solo "The Wanderer," by Schubert, given by Mrs. Minnetta Moore.

Mrs. Breunier then very graciously introduced the speaker of the afternoon, Rev. Paul Studebaker. His topic was "Religion in the School in Relation to Public Welfare." This is a problem that confronts everyone from the home, the business world and any place that holds human life. How to help our youth of today to build strong Christian characters is our problem. Rev. Studebaker in well chosen words explained to the club how this could be worked out in schools. He explained how this same condition exists not only in our country but in other countries and that they are realizing the same facts and are trying to deal with them. To do away with crime conditions of today, this must be taken in hand by everyone concerned and we all are. His talk on this subject was greatly appreciated by all.

A violin duet was then given by Mrs. Daisy Blocher and Mrs. Minnetta Moore, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Marjorie Erickson. The last number of the after-

noon was a song title contest at which Mrs. Pansy Biesecker received the prize.

Delicious refreshments were served by the committee of the afternoon, who were Mrs. Grace Breunier, Mrs. Ruby Reigle, Mrs. Minnetta Moore, Mrs. Ida Bates, Mrs. Ida Lort, Mrs. Florence Studebaker, Mrs. Myrtle Emmert and Mrs. Francis Wendel. While refreshments were being served Kenneth Wasson played at the piano, which was much enjoyed by all.

Former Resident Dies

Frank Bassler was born at Franklin Grove, March 12, 1869. He passed away at the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital in Dixon Tuesday morning at 11:15 after a short illness.

On Thanksgiving day, 1900, Mr. Bassler was united in marriage to Miss Ida Thompson, daughter of the late John and Lydia Thompson at Ashton. They were united in marriage by Rev. I. E. Honeywell, pastor of the Methodist church, Mr. Bassler preceded him in death October 6, 1926.

He leaves to mourn his departure his sister-in-law, Mrs. Pearl Carter, and a cousin, Miss Alice Fitch of this place, his niece, Hazel Hart of Ashton, a nephew, Leon Beach of Chicago, a niece, Mrs. Clara Turek of St. Louis. His sterling character and that he never spoke ill of anyone resulted in a host of friends.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Ralph Dreger, pastor of the Methodist church. Burial in Ashton cemetery.

Kilo Club

The next meeting of the Kilo club will be held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mattie Meredith. Roll call, current events, Reading, "Father Struck It Rich," by Evelyn Walsh McLean. Reading, Mrs. Vera Gross.

School Calendar, Jan. 3 to Feb. 18

To those who are interested in school activities, here is a handy list of dates covering approximately the next six weeks of school activities.

Monday, Jan. 10, Men's volleyball ball.

Tuesday, Jan. 11, basketball, Stillman Valley here.

Friday, Jan. 14, basketball, Steward, here.

Monday, Jan. 17, men's volleyball ball (end round 1).

Tuesday, Jan. 18, basketball, Lee Center, here.

Thursday, Jan. 20, regular P. T. A. meeting.

Friday, Jan. 21, first semester ends.

Monday, Jan. 24, men's volleyball ball tourney.

Tuesday, Jan. 25, basketball, Kings, here.

Friday, Jan. 26, all-school music program.

Monday, Jan. 31, men's volleyball ball, round 2.

Tuesday, Feb. 1, basketball, Lee, here.

Friday, Feb. 4, basketball, at Steward.

Monday, Feb. 7, men's volleyball ball.

Tuesday, Feb. 8, basketball, Leaf River, here.

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Stillman Valley and Steward Next Week

Next week will be a red letter week for basketball in this community. On Tuesday night the strong Stillman Valley team will appear. Their team is unusually strong this year, having been defeated only once in eight starts.

A note of interest in connection with this game is that it will be hard for the Valley team to fail to recall the defeat the Franklin Grove team of last year placed on them on their own floor. This fact should add color to this game.

Steward will also bring a strong team here on Friday night. Tournament fans will recall that Steward finished in second place in the recent meet, only topped by the great aggregation from Rollo.

Spectators may feel confident that any of these three teams that will play here during the next week will demonstrate some of the finest basketball to be seen among the smaller high schools of this section.

The home team would appreciate the support of those interested in basketball. They can be counted on to give a good account of themselves in all of these contests.

ments. The whole history of musical instruments was outlined in a few minutes by the showing and playing of these old instruments.

The group closed the program with a novelty number entitled "The Circus Parade."

VOLLEY BALL

Results of games Monday, Jan. 3: School House 2, Main St. Specialists 0.

Brethren S. S. 2, Squad Cars 0. North Enders 2, Shell Oils 0. Hog Callers 2, Streamliners 0.

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North Enders 4 1 .800
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Streamliners 2 3 .400
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With close of the first round of games on Jan. 17, all the teams in the league will play in a tournament held Jan. 24. The league standings of the first round will serve as the starting bracket in the first set of games for the championship. The School House Gang leads now but only survived after trailing the Main St. 14 to 3 and then coming back to win in last Monday night's games. Each session sees an improvement in the team play; from now on the games will be real battles.

BIRTHDAY SUPPER

The annual birthday supper of the Church of the Brethren will be held at the church next Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock, those attending being requested to take their own table service, a dish to pass and sandwiches. The hostesses will furnish the dessert. Each attendant is also expected to take a penny for each year of his or her life, the collection to go for missions.

The tables will be decorated to represent the various months and will be in charge of the following hostesses:

January—Mrs. O. D. Buck and Mrs. Kenneth Plouts.

February—Mrs. Guy Willard and Mrs. Maurice Cluts.

March—Mrs. C. A. Blocher and Mrs. Dorinda Feigley.

April, August and December—Mrs. Joe Reynolds and Mrs. J. E. Wolfe.

May—Mrs. Ernest Fair and Mrs. Ed Blank.

June—Mrs. Frank Ross and Mrs. Leland Blocher.

July—Mrs. D. C. Snider, Miss Barbara Group and Miss Hazel Blume.

September—Mrs. Raymond Hood and Mrs. Harry Martin.

October—Mrs. Lee Fisel and Mrs. John Coger.

November—Mrs. Ed Underwood and Mrs. Henry Wedel.

A fine program has been arranged to be furnished by a boys' instrumental trio, a girls' vocal trio; musical glasses by Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gerdes of Sterling and a reading by Mrs. Gerdes.

LAMOILLE

Lamoille—Mr. and Mrs. William McNinch were New Years dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Baumgartner at Red Oak.

Mrs. Beulah Lewis of Mendota is a guest this week at the home of Mrs. William McNinch.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hill were Henry visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoeger, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hoeger and daughter Joyce of Clinton, Iowa, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hoeger of Mendota, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hoeger, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gross and daughter Alpha, Lincoln Gross and family, Mrs. Della Stohard and son—Dale, were guests Saturday at the Hubert Gross home.

The Clarion Home Bureau will meet Wednesday, Jan. 12 with Mrs. John E. Bauer. The topic of the lesson will be "Causes and prevention of communicable diseases," by Mrs. Theodore Moeller.

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Scott Dayton has returned to New York City after spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Emma Dayton.

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Martin Hoppers, Fred Koepke, Jr., Fred Eggers, Bonnie McCray, Norman Eubank returned to their school work at the University of Illinois on Sunday.

Jean Henry of Princeton visited

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ELECTS OFFICERS

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DELTA DEK CLUB MEETS

The Delta Dek club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gloden Thursday evening with five tables of bridge. Mr. and Mrs. Omar Morgan won high and Mr. and Mrs. George Schrader, low. Mr. and Mrs. George Cameron received the guest prize. Harry Magnuson won the eighty honor prize. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Allhouse, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Ganschow, Mr. and Mrs. George Cameron. The next meeting will be held with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Magnuson.

ENTERTAINED KIT
KAT CLUB

Mrs. Clifford Hill entertained the Kit Kat bridge club for Miss Harriet Noret. Mrs. Iva Kindt won high score and Mrs. Mildred Lauritzen, low. Mrs. Lovilla Dooley was a guest. Mrs. Darlene Anderson will entertain the club on Jan. 21.

PONTOON CLUB

Mrs. Will Burke entertained the Pontoon club at three tables of bridge Friday afternoon. Mrs. Ellen Wahl won high, Mrs. Helen Spauld, low. Guests of Mrs. Burke were Mrs. Marjorie Bolz, Mrs. Everett Lively of Amboy and Mrs. Ellen Wahl.

OPENS BEAUTY PARLOR

Miss Helen Aisene of Macomb has opened an up-to-date beauty

from Friday to Sunday afternoon with Joan Telkamp.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Ough and son of Moline visited from Friday to Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ough.

Mrs. Ella Ponzer returned home from Chicago where she had spent the past month with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ponzer and other relatives.

Warren Mercer, Miss Nannie Faber, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Telkamp and son Martin and daughter Joan spent Thursday with Mrs. Esther Mercer and three daughters at Gary, Ind.

Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Turnbull and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ross and family were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mrs. B. Koepke and daughters Mae and Erna.

Mrs. Alice Anderson was a guest on New Year's day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Beatty.

Miss Marion Ough returned to DeKalb Sunday afternoon after spending the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ough.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Drummer and Mr. and Mrs. John Drummer and Mrs. Annie Schmeier and Mr. and Mrs. William Prendergast and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Drummer at Spring Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Beatty called on Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Beatty at Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schildberg of Mendota and granddaughter Jean Kaufman of Elgin were guests on New Year's day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Dayton.

Mrs. Hattie Moorehouse of Mendota visited the first of the week with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Drummer.

Mr. and Mrs. Park Lyon entertained a number of friends on New Year's eve. Baccarat was played and delicious refreshments were served.

Miss Mildred Johnson of Kirkland, M. B. Erwin of Hammond were Sunday guests at the Clyde Ough home.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Kleckner and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wagner were dinner guests last Tuesday at the Clyde Ough home in honor of Clyde's birthday which was Sunday, Jan. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beatty left Wednesday for their at Middletown, Ohio, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Beatty.

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard Crossman, Sr., spent New Year's day at the home of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Campbell of Oswego.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Schwing and son Clifford and Mr. and Mrs. Howard King of Lamoille and Miss Ruth Myers of near Princeton were guests at a 6 o'clock dinner Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kopp.

parlor in the First State bank building in rooms formerly occupied by Dorothy White Anderson. Miss Aisene is making her home with Mr. and Mrs. I. M. White.

DEFEATS TAMPOCO

The Walnut grade school engaged in a fast and furious basketball game Thursday evening against Tampico. For a time it looked as though Tampico was sure to win but Peach put over three baskets that won the game for Walnut. Mr. Harland was referee.

ENTERTAINS WHIST CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Manlius Lovegreen entertained their whist club Wednesday evening. Five tables were at play. Mrs. Amelia Langford won ladies high and Mrs. Mabel Fordham won low. Lew Lewis won men's high and Fred Kruse, low. Mrs. Martha Walrath won the traveling prize. Mrs. Jennie Lively was a guest.

MR. AND MRS. FORREST ENTERTAIN CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Forrest were host and hostess to the Hamilton pinocle club this week. There were six tables at play. The ladies high score went to Mrs. Mary Lovegreen and ladies low to Mrs. Emma Dimmig. The men's high was won by Hayden Hedspeith and low by Edwin Dawson.

LADIES AID MEETS

The Busy Boosters division served the lunch for the M. E. regular Ladies Aid meeting on Thursday.

PERSONALS

Miss Frances Bailey and Miss Frances McKinney, both grade school teachers, left Friday afternoon for their respective homes, Rock Island and Galesburg, to spend the week-end.

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Our Sunday school and worship services are outlined to help make God and Christ more vital in your life.

H. C. Buterbaugh, Pastor, Lamoille Congregational Church, Rev. W. J. Frost, Ph. D., Minister Services for Jan. 9.

Bible school at 10 a. m. Carl Dawson, Supt. We are glad to see some new faces in our classes. If you are not a regular attendant at the Bible school, why not start the New Year by joining our school.

Morning worship at 11 a. m. Sermon by the pastor, Subject, "Blowing the Roof Off the Church."

The annual Congregational meeting will be held on Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m., Jan. 6. The business meeting will be followed by an oyster supper, served by the men of the church. All friends of the church, as well as the members, are cordially invited.

WHO AND WHERE

Mrs. Orton Abrogast has been ill in bed the past week.

Mrs. Pauline Grant will entertain her school duties after spending the holidays here with relatives.

Mrs. Will Mullins returned home from Savannah, Mo., last Friday after spending the past six weeks there where she has been receiving treatment.

Miss Louise Rich returned Sunday to resume her studies at Cornell college.

Rev. and Mrs. Rich attended a ministers' meeting at Sandwich on Monday.

There was a card party in St. Flannan's hall on Tuesday evening with the following ladies on the committee: Mrs. Lloyd Considine, chairman; assisted by Mrs. Cecil McCormick, Mrs. John Drew, Mrs. Theo. Knoll, Mrs. Leroy Kent, Mrs. John Ryan, Mrs. Chris Blackburn and Miss Mary Leonard.

The members of St. Ann's society held their regular meeting in the hall on Wednesday afternoon at 1:30. Ladies of the band of which Mrs. George Glaser is promoter served the lunch. Five hundred was played during the afternoon at which the head prize was awarded to Mrs. Fred Powers. The president of St. Ann's, Mrs. Dave Butler, in behalf of the members, presented the beautiful quilt which the ladies pieced and quilted to Father David Murphy. He thanked the ladies in a few well chosen words.

Little Patty Downs of Chicago spent the past several days here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Downs.

Born a son to Mr. and Mrs. Herb Dunphy of Rockford in the Amboy hospital the first of the week. Mrs. Dunphy will be remembered as Miss Mary Rose Long, formerly of Harmon.

In the card party held Tuesday evening in St. Flannan's hall the prizes were awarded to Mrs. Julius Meekel and Frank Walter in five hundred and Mrs. Mayme O'Malley and Edward Hermes in euchre.

Rev. Father McGuire and his sisters were here from Tampico on Wednesday and visited in the home of Rev. Father Murphy.

Miss Anastasia Hermes has returned to her studies in Iowa and Miss Mary McInerney has returned to her studies at DeKalb, after spending the two weeks vacation here with their parents.

A farewell party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Mannion was given in the Leroy Henry home on Wednesday evening. The Mannions are moving to a house in Sterling which they purchased some time ago, in the very near future. After a delightful evening tempting refreshments were served.

Frederick Schaefer, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schaefer has lost the sight of one eye as the result of a collision between a car driven by him and one driven by Frank Knoll. The cars collided at an intersection in Harmon Monday afternoon, both overturning and striking a telephone pole. Schaefer was injured by broken glass and was taken to the Dixon hospital where his left eye was removed. Knoll is suffering from shock and is confined to his home.

Methodist Episcopal Church

The complacency of the average Christian is such that their religion no longer serves as an inspiration to them or as a means of a renewed life. Think on the following testimony of Toyochiko Kagawa of how Christianity transformed his life: "As a child I was thrilled by the Shinto teaching that when men die they become miniature gods. But what a long period of waiting. No possibility of becoming a son of God until after death."

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11 Monkeys.
12 Stoning devices.
13 Encircled.
14 Courtesy title.
15 Born.
16 Above.
18 Tumor.
19 Southeast.
20 Tissue.
22 Spain.
24 To daub.
27 Lacerates.
29 Dregs.
31 Less common.
33 Narrative poem.
35 Unit.
36 Adheres.
38 Social insect.
39 Exits.
40 Ribbon ornament.
41 Drone bee.
43 Chaos.
44 To wipe.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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AREA INANE MOLA
STINGERS TRAINED

VERTICAL

1 To notch.
2 To think.
3 Withered.
4 Respects.
5 Neuter pronoun.
6 Male cat.
7 Inattentive.
8 Proverb.
9 Boils bran.
10 Distinctive theory.

17 Peeped.
19 He is a favorite.
21 Musical note.
23 He plays in talking.
24 To observe.
25 In line.
26 Hurrah!
28 Mineral spring.
30 Being.
32 Left-hand page.
34 Wayside hotel.
36 Sea gulls.
37 Vended.
40 Bushel.
42 Sun god.
44 Fissure.
45 Ketch.
46 Small bird.
48 Scheme.
50 Knock.
52 Pair.
53 Finish.
55 Self.
57 Sloth.
59 Before Christ.



SIDE GLANCES



"Andrew and I were just sitting here thinking how nice it would be if you folks would drop in this evening."

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



THE secret of silk leaked out in A. D. 552, when two Persian monks visiting in China, concealed silkworms' eggs and mulberry leaves in a hollow staff and smuggled them into their own country.

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Public Sale

SEE FARM PAGE, JANUARY 11th issue of Evening Telegraph for full details of the William Noll closing out sale to be held Jan. 14 on the Gooch farm, four miles west of Dixon. 516

CONSIGNMENT PUBLIC SALE. I will hold a consignment public sale at my place of residence three miles east and one mile south of Franklin Grove, and seven miles southwest of Ashton, on Monday, January 10 at 12 o'clock noon. I have listed horses, heifers, cattle, brood sows, poultry and hedge posts. The Sears Saddle Co. will be present with merchandise and there will be a truck load of bolts, nuts, axe handles and so forth, and a truck load of apples. Farm implements consist of McCormick-Deering tractor, tandem disc and plow, single row shovel plow and Hayes corn planter. Bring anything you want to sell. Bert O. Vogeler, Auctioneer. Earl Carlson, Clerk. 512

CONSIGNMENT PUBLIC SALE 3 miles south and 1 mile east of Franklin Grove, Jan. 10. List what you have to sell. Bert O. Vogeler, Auct.; Earl Carlson, Clerk. 314

COMMUNITY SALE AT I. C. Stockyards, Amboy, Wed. Jan. 12 at 1:00 o'clock sharp, when we will sell all kinds of livestock, farm machinery, furniture, etc. Call 295 or 10 and list what you have to sell. John N. Gentry, Auct. E. F. Barnes, Clerk. 315

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WATER FROM JORDAN Los Angeles — (AP) — Water brought from River Jordan in Palestine especially for the purpose was used to christen the daughter of Jimmy Wallington, radio announcer. Eddie Cantor was the child's godfather, and Glenda Farrell and Deanna Durbin her godmothers.

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Yesterday, Stok to the soul of rich, pampered living, Connie turns on Rodney at the last moment, threatens she will never see him again.

CHAPTER III

WHEN Gibbs brought Miss Connie's breakfast that next morning, there was no response. When she returned with it again an hour later, there was still no response.

Gibbs' face took on its pinched expression. She knew that this signified a thunderstorm ahead. Whether to risk it now, or postpone it, was the question. Already the day's schedule overlapped. The masseur would have to be fitted into the same half hour as the manicurist; then there was that girl coming from Lucille's with the new frocks to be tried and fitted. Gibbs set her thin lips; knocked once more on the door, pushing it open at the same time with a decisive jut from her knee, crossed the room like a soldier about to face a firing squad.

"It's very late, Miss Connie," she said firmly. "It's a lovely breakfast I've brought. Mr. Brandon already has called three times." Gibbs continued and knew immediately that this was the wrong approach because the mound flopped over and buried itself even deeper. "There's a lovely account about your lovely party last night."

CONNIE stirred, sat up, flung out a rounded white arm. "Let me see," she said.

Gibbs handed her the papers, carefully folded at the proper place.

Connie glanced at the first one, flung it aside. "I knew it," she muttered.

"The low-down spying sneak. If only I'd been a man . . . Or had one with me." She gave the pillow next to her a vicious thump. "I'll have to send for the guards if you don't go," she mimicked in what was a surprising imitation of Rodney's clean-cut Harvard accent. Then she slumped down among the pillows again. "Take it away, please," she waved Gibbs and the papers, and the whole universe out of her sight. "Don't want any breakfast. Don't think I'll get up—ever. You can tell the newspapers that. Tell them to come take a picture of me dying—of dreading and boredom and nausea. Tell them they can have one in my coffin, too, for good measure. Tell them . . ."

"Now, Miss Connie, you'll really be ill, if you allow yourself to get all worked up." Gibbs bent to pick up the scattered papers, smothering out a crumpled sheet that explained — too late — the bomb that had set off the explosion. A full length portrait of Miss Connie, clasped, somewhat gingerly, it is true, but clasped, nevertheless, in Mr. Rodney's virile arms, his lips pressed—not quite so gingerly—against hers, and underneath the caption: "MILLION DOLLAR PRINCESS BESTOWS BETHROTHAL KISS."

"I am ill," Connie muttered from the pillows. "I'm sick. I'm sick of living. I'm sick of myself. Go away—please. Take the tray and those papers with you. I don't want to see anything or anyone ever. Understand, Gibbs?" "Now, Miss Connie," Gibbs began severely, purposefully again; but she saw that it was no use, so she said as she was bid, her lips set disapprovingly.

THE mound underneath the silk and satin coverlet lay quiet once more. It did not move an inch or utter a sound until what might have been hours, or days, or years later, when another knock came at the door.

The knock was repeated, louder, more urgently. The door was pushed open.

"Didn't I tell you to go 'way'?" A pillow, a small affair of silk and lace, but solid and compact for all that, owing to the force of the velocity with which it was hurled, caught the young girl in the doorway squarely in the middle, sending the big box clasped tightly in her arms to the floor with a smack.

"Oh," Connie sat up, rubbed the sleep, and some of the fire, out of her eyes. She stared at the girl. "Who are you? How did you get in?" she asked. And then, as the girl, without answering, stooped and began to gather the scattered contents from the box together, "I'm sorry I hit you," Connie said.

The girl did not look up. She was intent upon her task.

"I said I'm sorry I hit you," Connie repeated.

The girl glanced at her over her shoulder, but she went on repacking the contents into the box.

"Can't you talk?" Connie asked. She sat up straight now, leaning forward to clasp her knees in her arms. There was a tiny candle of interest, lighted in her blue eyes. The girl nodded solemnly. Her eyes, blue like Connie's, were wide with wonder, as though they could not credit all they saw.

"Why don't you, then?" This time Connie's tone was touched with impatience. She reached for a negligee at the foot of the bed. She slung her feet to the floor, wiggled into blue silk mules, the heels of which were studded with rhinestones, walked over to her chaise longue and sat down.

"You took my breath," the girl said. "And I was told not to say anything. Just leave the box."

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homers for the Yanks . . . Short ends are paying their backers handsomely in the hippodrome fights these night . . . Three have come through in the last month — Gunnar Barlund, Baby Saban and

The old ballyho has started . . . Here's Joe DiMaggio demanding all the way from 25 to 35 grand to hit

Bits of Gossip of Sports Picked Up By AP Writer

New York, Jan. 8—(AP)—Harry Jeffra vs Sixto Escobar in Puerto Rico on Fiesta day is like sending old Battling Siki to fight Mike McGuire in Dublin on St. Patrick's Day . . . Larry McPhail, who may become general manager of the Dodgers, must want to get back into baseball pretty bad, at that . . . Some of those amateurs give us a laugh . . . They go out and line their pockets with dough, then start crying to get back into the fold . . . Eddie Neil's body is due on the Berengaria Jan. 18.

Joe Louis was toting an armful of bazookas when he passed through town yesterday . . . Roundy Coughlin, the sage of Madison Wis., went to Pasadena for the big doling and reports Coaches Frank Thomas and Stub Allison got bonuses of \$5000 each for piloting their teams into the Bowl . . . Mel Smith, one of the real popular golf pros, is ill in St. Luke's hospital, Chicago—stomach ulcers . . . Out at French Lick Ind., where he pros, they think he's one of the game's best teachers . . . Henry Armstrong is in from the coast looking fit as a

PICTURESQUE SCENE



LAW BUILDING—UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS

Many consider the Law building the most picturesque of all structures on the University of Illinois campus. It has formerly been the university library. Chimes in the tower announce each quarter hour and on special occasions chimes concerts are given. The building was erected for the first Library school west of the Alleghenies, the second in the nation. In 1924 it was replaced in its original use by a new Library building. The Law library as well as the administrative offices and classrooms of the College of Law are now in the building.

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CHAPTER IV

THE girl sat down on the nearest chair, as though her knees would have given way beneath her if she had not.

"What do you mean?" she asked. "Like . . . like The Prince and The Pauper?"

"Yes and no," Connie returned. Again she nodded with satisfaction. "We look almost enough alike, at that. Blue eyes, hair the same shade, weight and height. At least enough for any one who did not know us. Reporters and photographers, for instance." The light in her eyes glowed even more brightly than before. "Did you really mean it when you said you'd like to be me?" she demanded.

"Did I mean it?"

"Then get out of your clothes," Connie commanded. She crossed the room; bolted the door. "Hurry!" she said impatiently, when she saw that the girl had not moved. "We can work out the details while we change. I'll leave a note for Uncle Tippy, he's my guardian, a perfect dear; he'll understand, do as I tell him. I can slip out, carrying that box, in your things, and no one will stop me. Here!" She yanked off her negligee, tossed it toward her visitor, who sat still as if in a trance.

"Don't do that!" Connie reprimanded. "Pull on my negligee, climb into my bed—and stay in it as long as you like—and dash off that letter for me to drop in a box to your family."

"My family won't worry about me," the girl said briefly. "Besides I told them just last night I was moving out on my own. There's only one person . . . But no," she drew her finely arched dark brows together in a little frown, not unlike the one that often marred Connie's smooth brow, "I won't send him word, either. Her blue eyes blazed with a hidden fire not unlike the one that often smoldered behind Connie's.

"We quarreled last night," she confessed. "My steady and I. Everyone thought we'd get married some day. But I told him I was sick of being courted with

anyone, or anything, ever again," Connie said. "And I meant it."

"Why?"

Connie was so surprised that the girl could ask a question that she answered before she thought. "Because I'm sick of everyone and everything. I'm sick of living."

The incredulity on the girl's face deepened. "You!" she exploded. "When you have everything in the world you want!"

It was Connie who nodded this time. "Exactly," she said. "That's what my grandfather told me years ago. That's why I haven't anything."

"But you're the richest girl in the world!" the girl said. And then, "Oh, I'd give anything to be you! Just for a little while."

Now Connie stared at her speechless.

"Anything!" the girl went on, speaking rapidly, heatedly, as though now that her reserve had been broken down she could not stop the flow of words. "To have all this, nothing but beauty around you—to sleep in a bed like that—to lie as long as you want . . . But I'm sorry," she stopped, her face coloring. "I didn't think what I was saying. I didn't mean to say it."

"I didn't mean to throw things," Connie said. There was a new light in her blue eyes; a flame much deeper than any flickering candle, a flame that grew brighter, more intense. She beckoned the girl to her side, regarded her a long moment, the cheap little hat that yet had an air of chic, the neat plain suit, worn, but well-pressed, the freshly laundered blouse, the shiny hose, with a runner neatly darned, the brown brogues, scuffed a bit, but bravely shined. An air of pride and defiance about the whole ensemble, matching the lift of the trembling chin and pretty head. Connie nodded as though satisfied, as she said:

"Then how would you like to be me—for a little while?"

THE girl just stared at her, not saying a word.

huddle and ready for Enrico Venturi Wednesday night . . .

homers for the Yanks . . . Short ends are paying their backers handsomely in the hippodrome fights these night . . . Three have come through in the last month — Gunnar Barlund, Baby Saban and

The old ballyho has started . . . Here's Joe DiMaggio demanding all the way from 25 to 35 grand to hit

Bits of Gossip of Sports Picked Up By AP Writer

New York, Jan. 8—(AP)—Harry Jeffra vs Sixto Escobar in Puerto Rico on Fiesta day is like sending old Battling Siki to fight Mike McGuire in Dublin on St. Patrick's Day . . . Larry McPhail, who may become general manager of the Dodgers, must want to get back into baseball pretty bad, at that . . . Some of those amateurs give us a laugh . . . They go out and line their pockets with dough, then start crying to get back into the fold . . . Eddie Neil's body is due on the Berengaria Jan. 18.

Joe Louis was toting an armful of bazookas when he passed through town yesterday . . . Roundy Coughlin, the sage of Madison Wis., went to Pasadena for the big doling and reports Coaches Frank Thomas and Stub Allison got bonuses of \$5000 each for piloting their teams into the Bowl . . . Mel Smith, one of the real popular golf pros, is ill in St. Luke's hospital, Chicago—stomach ulcers . . . Out at French Lick Ind., where he pros, they think he's one of the game's best teachers . . . Henry Armstrong is in from the coast looking fit as a

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my whole family looking on—there are eight of us, you know, besides Grandma Wertz, who's come to live with us now. That was the trouble, as I told Tom, we never had any freedom, any privacy. Why, would you believe it, when Tom stole a kiss last night, a cop came along and ordered us to move off his old park bench, said he'd

MERRY-GO-ROUND SCORES ANOTHER SCOOP ON JUDGE

Beat Announcement Of Sutherland By A Few Hours

Duplicating its remarkable scoop on the resignation of Justice Van Devanter last June, the Washington Merry-Go-Round column predicted the retirement of Justice George Sutherland just a few hours before he announced it himself.

On the morning of January 5, the column began: "Justice George Sutherland has intimated to close friends that he is seriously considering retiring from the Supreme Court." Later in that same day, the Justice's letter to the President was made public, completely confirming the Merry-Go-Round story.

On retirements from the Supreme Court, this made the Merry-Go-Round's batting average 1,000. Last June 1, the column had flatly predicted the impending resignation of Justice Van Devanter. The very next day, June 2, Van Devanter formally quit.

These achievements become even more remarkable when it is appreciated that Drew Pearson and Robert S. Allen, authors of the column, turn in their stories five days before they are published.

The Sutherland scoop culminated an amazing series of recent inside revelations of first importance which were exactly followed by the actual events.

Revelation on Jobs

On December 30 the column had predicted that the unemployment figures of the Biggers voluntary census would be "breath-taking whoppers," totalling between 10,500,000 and 11,000,000. Three days later, on January 2, the announced figures estimated total unemployed at 10,800,000.

On December 19 the column said: "There is one Supreme Court case in which the administration feels certain of victory. This is the Duke Power and Alabama Power company case..." Then the story described how even Justice McReynolds appeared to side with the government. On January 3, the Supreme Court handed down its unanimous decision favoring the government, with McReynolds concurring.

On December 29 the Washington Merry-Go-Round outlined a coming radio barrage by the administration to recoup the ground lost in the special session, predicting the sensational likes and Jackson speeches. This forecast has been borne out almost every day since.

On December 26 the column predicted that "the last has not been heard on the wage and hour issue. The President is going to bat vigorously for it in his January 3 message to Congress." In the message the President devoted a large part of his remarks to this issue, as forecast.

Incidentally, the Merry-Go-Round was the first to announce (on December 29) that Roosevelt would deliver the message in person and over a national radio hook-up.

The December 30 column emphasized the British-American treaty as a link between the countries motivated by the Far East

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY by Baer



"We'd better get a new furnace through The Telegraph classified ads. Look how closely they have to huddle for warmth."

Weater, Husband Of Three Wives Held For Bigamy

Boston, Jan. 8.—(AP)—Allen Proctor, handsome 27-year-old waiter, described by police as a "heartbreaker" who married three Massachusetts women without the necessity of obtaining a divorce, has pleaded guilty to a charge of polygamy and is held in jail for a further hearing.

Police Sergeant Frank W. Russell said Proctor wooed and wed red-haired Meda Ashworth, of Fall River, Miss Lydia Cory, of New Bedford, and blonde Betty Morrison, of Boston and quoted him as saying "all three were good kids and I have no preference."

Miss Morrison, wife No. 3 brought the complaint against Proctor, Russell said, after she became suspicious when he evaded queries concerning finances.

Starched shirt and all, Proctor was arrested in a downtown Providence, R. I. hotel last night as he smugly served dishes to diners.

URGES PADDED PANTS FOR INDUSTRY, WITH POCKETS INSIDE OUT

Shoemakers will have to turn to making pants—a special kind of pants—unless sitdown strikes are outlawed, H. N. Lape, president of Julian & Kokege, Cincinnati, O. shoe manufacturers, said yesterday at the national shoe fair luncheon in the Stevens hotel.

"A Frenchman invented the sitdown strike," said Lape. "Maybe he wanted to conserve sole leather. But if this (labor) situation continues the shoe industry will have to retrench and change its line of products."

"The quicker we get into the business of making pants with leather landing gear, the better for all concerned. And let me remark that in view of the spirited, persistent, and annoying kicks business has been taking from official Washington, it would be a smart idea to bring out a special pants creation for the business man."

"Such pants should come fully equipped with double reinforced seat and shockproof rubber insoles, with pockets built permanently inside out for convenience of tax collectors."—Chicago Tribune.

BIG TREE NURSERY

Winona, Minn.—(AP)—Tons of seed, representing more than 9,000,000 potential trees and shrubs, have been gathered by the soil conservation service tree nursery for use in erosion control work in the Upper Mississippi valley.

Collected in wooded areas near here, the seed will be planted in the Winona SCS nursery. Approximately 7,000,000 hardwoods and 2,000,000 conifers are expected to be produced from the seed, says A. D. Slavin, regional nurseryman for the service.

Principal hardwoods represented are white oak, burr oak, green ash, black locust and hackberry, while Scotch pine, western yellow pine and red cedar are the most common conifers.

Black locusts are widely used for gully control work because they grow well in poor soil and have thick interlacing root systems which anchor the trees firmly in the ground and hold the soil in place.

FARM IMPLEMENT OUTLOOK CLOUDED

Some concern is felt over the outlook for farm implement production in the months ahead, because of the sustained high level of output in recent weeks during a time when farm income was contracting. Despite the curtailment in most manufacturing lines, production of farm implements has held far above the preceding year's levels. Measured by pay rolls, production from August through November averaged almost 50 per cent greater than in 1936. November pay rolls in the industry were 47 per cent above the preceding year's.—Journal of Commerce

TRADE WITH CANADA RISES

Canada's imports from the United States increased in the first eight months of the fiscal year 1937-38 to \$346,060,460, compared with \$251,473,448 for the corresponding period, April 1 to Nov. 30, last year, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported. The United States continued to be Canada's largest source of imports. Second came the United Kingdom with \$107,193,272 for the period, against \$89,567,280 a year before.—New York Times.

RELIEF CONTINUING PROBLEM

"The question of caring for the unemployed needly will continue a major one even should business miraculously climb back to the 1929 level," concludes Dr. Mabel Newcomer of Vassar College. Close students of social welfare are in complete accord with this opinion.—Commerce & Finance.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S TWIZZLER

1. Edward Arnold 2. Adolphe Menjou 3. Richard Dix 4. George Arliss 5. Leslie Howard 6. Victor McLaglen 7. Robert Taylor 8. Lionel Barrymore 9. Clark Gable 10. Douglas Fairbanks. (Copyright John F. Dille Co.)

Brain Twizzlers

By PROF. J. D. FLINT

HOW DID THAT GET IN THERE?

A deceitful little problem of reasoning now confronts us. We say deceitful because the answer seems to be what it isn't and isn't what it seems to be.

A hosiery company sponsored a contest in which a group of lovely young ladies were to draw very expensive stockings from a barrel and if they succeeded in matching a pair they would be awarded a prize. Twenty pairs of black silk stockings and ten pairs of a new blue shade were placed in the barrel. Each young lady could draw as many stockings, one by one as she wished but the first prize was to be given to the one who matched a pair in the fewest draws. Remember, they were blindfolded. What is the lowest number that would assure a matched pair?

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Republican and in North Carolina he lost, but 10 years later he ran again as a Republican, this time for Governor.

Supreme Court Battle

It was at this point in his career that Parker made a statement destined to cost him his seat on the Supreme Court. Branded by Democrats with their favorite campaign epithet for Republicans—"nigger-lover"—Parker tried to counteract its political effect by stating publicly that he wanted no Negro support.

"Participation of the Negro in politics is a source of evil and danger to both races," he said, "and is not desired by the wise men of either race or by the Republican party of North Carolina."

This statement, made in 1920, was dug up ten years later by Walter White, head of the Association for the Advancement of Colored People, and it hurt just enough to defeat Parker's nomination for the highest bench.

The A. P. of L. also campaigned against him because a famous decision of his in a labor injunction case had upheld the "yellow dog" contract. To this Parker replied that he had merely followed the then precedent of the Supreme Court.

With this combination of forces against him, Parker was defeated by a vote of 41 to 39, splitting the Republican party wide open. It was the first time the Senate had rejected a Supreme Court nomination in 36 years, and the first out-and-out reversal against President Hoover. And today the very men who defeated him are applauding Parker's pro-New Deal decisions.

Note: Among these, Ed McGrady, ex-assistant secretary of labor, then lobbyist for the A. P. of L., rallied many votes against Parker, now sees eye to eye with Parker on recent decisions.

Courteous But Frank

Judge Parker is a tall, rather handsome man, with a frank, open face, and a naive personality when off the bench. He is genial, hearty, makes it a practice to come down to mingle in court during recesses, chatting and smoking with the attorneys of both sides.

He conducts his court in a most delightful manner, although with dignity, and the Fourth Circuit Court has the reputation of being the most courteous in the country. If the court takes up an attorney's time by asking questions, additional time is added for his argument.

Parker is a good lawyer; his decisions being clear and to the point. While court is in session he works like a horse, and during the Duke case surprised attorneys by reading a brief filed at 5 p. m. and asking questions from it in court the next morning.

Judge Parker took his rebuff from the Senate gracefully, and showed not the slightest sign of frustration. But he did seem to take a certain malicious glee in showing up some of the conservative gentlemen beside whom he came so near sitting.

When the Duke Power case first came before him, Parker immediately found in favor of the New Deal, decreeing that the public works administration did have the power to lend money to municipalities for the erection of power plants.

Reverses the Nine

This decision was sent on to his would-have-been colleagues a year ago and in December, 1936, they stalled. They refused to make a decision, and sent the case back to Judge Parker's District Court on the basis of a technical or "harmless" error, which according to an act of Congress, should not be taken into consideration by the Supreme Court.

This December stalling, which meant a full year's delay for PWA loans on municipal power plants, was the last straw which prompted Roosevelt to make his Supreme Court fight.

Part of that fight, it will be remembered, was a castigation of the nine Justices for taking off the entire summer when important cases were hanging fire. Roosevelt suggested that they do some work during the holidays. Immediately thereafter, Judge Parker showed that he at least was not afraid of extra work, by calling a special session of his court in Asheville for August 3.

Three days later he handed down a decision completely favorable to the New Deal. This prompt action permitted the Duke case to get to the Supreme Court this winter. Otherwise it might have gone over for another year—tying up 61 cities and \$109,700,000 of cash.

This week's Supreme Court decision, unanimously upholding Judge Parker, has started speculation as to whether Roosevelt might send his name to the Senate once more when further vacancies occur. Parker is now 53, three years younger than the President, presumably would not be considered an Old Man.

Note: The man to keep your eye on to fill the immediate vacancy, left by the retirement of Justice Sutherland of Utah, is Harold Stephens, also of Utah. Stephens had a lightning record in the justice department, now is a member of the Court of Appeals of the District

STATUES BROKEN IN 1812 RESTORED AT MISSION

San Juan Capistrano, Calif.—(AP)—Three images of saints which were installed in the old mission here the year the Declaration of Independence was signed have been restored to their pedestals. Toppled off and broken by the earthquake of 1812, they lay in pieces until recently repaired by order of the Rev. Arthur J. Hutchinson, pastor.

LETTER ON WAY 23 YEARS

Leavenworth, Kan.—(AP)—It took 23 years, but the mail finally got through.

On Sept. 14, 1914, Lieut. Col. Floyd R. Waltz mailed at Galveston, Tex., a letter to his mother, Mrs. Joseph A. Waltz of Williamsport, Pa.

Recently the letter was delivered to the old Waltz home near Williamsport. But Waltz' mother had died in 1930.

WOMAN CITY MARSHAL IS NO GUN TOTER

Crowley, La.—(AP)—Although associates of Mrs. Beulah O'Pry Sigur, woman city marshal, says she has had some "tough cases," she uses verbal persuasion instead of a pistol to enforce the law.

Her policy proved so popular that when election time came around she was able to defeat five opposing male candidates by a majority of 139 votes.

Mrs. Sigur first became marshal by appointment a few days after the death of her husband, Marshal Alexander Octave Sigur.

The Dead sea is the lowest body of water in the world, being 1,292 feet below Mediterranean sea level. The water is heavily saturated with chlorine, potassium, calcium and magnesium. A human being can float on its surface.

of Columbia, where he is doing a brilliant job.

Another possibility is Judge Joseph C. Hutcheson, J. of the U. S. Circuit Court in Texas. (Copyright 1938, by United Feature Syndicate, Inc.)

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FACTIONS SEEK SENATE CONTROL APRIL PRIMARY

Horner And Kelly-Nash Groups May Clash in Cook County

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 8.—(AP)—Control of the state Senate will be one of the chief stakes if the Horner administration and the Kelly-Nash organization make Cook county a Democratic battleground in the April primary.

The Chicago organization now dominates the Senate through such figures as Harold G. Ward, legislative spokesman for Mayor Edward J. Kelly, and president pro tem George M. Maypole, who comes from the home district of Patrick A. Nash.

Horner men have indicated that, if the expected primary fight develops, at least some of the Chicago senators would find intra-party opposition. The administration already controls the House of Representatives.

One of the odd features of Illinois politics is that the state Senate campaign centers in Cook county in the non-presidential years.

As a result, if downstate runs true to form, the Chicagoans will be in the strong defensive position of needing only to nominate and elect their own men to keep control of the Democratic majority in the upper House.

The senatorial lineup: Terms holding over 1940—Democrats, 15, only three from Cook county; Republicans, eight, all from downstate.

Vacancies and terms expiring in 1938—Democrats, 18, of whom 13 are from Cook county; Republicans, 10, with three from Chicago.

Just where the fights will be made hasn't been determined. The Horner forces are ready to do battle in the northwest side of Chicago in an effort to re-elect Benjamin S. Adamowski to the House. It would be easy for the administration to extend its fight in that district an attempt to unseat Senator Frank J. Ruckin.

Hickey V. Graham, the only consistent Horner Senator in the metropolitan area, won't return because he has moved out of the Cicero district.

Surveying the Chicago situation, one administration man remarked that a friendly Senate should be more important to the governor than the Dietrich situation and other 1938 state-wide contests, if legislative trouble is to be avoided during the last two years of the second Horner administration.

NEW FARM BILL READY WITHIN NEXT 10 DAYS

Washington, Jan. 8.—(AP)—Congressional farm leaders said today they hoped to have an "ever-normal granary" bill ready for final action within a week or 10 days.

They said the last week's conferences on separate bills passed by the house and senate had brought agreement on provisions for rice and tobacco.

Proposed controls over planting and marketing of corn, wheat and cotton remain for adjustment, they said, and added that these promised the most controversy.

Chairman Smith (D-SC) of the senate Agriculture committee said the group "will have to agree upon some sort of a bill because farmers will have to start planning and planting crops soon."

Senator Pope (D-Idaho) said the conferees had about decided to accept a house provision which permits the secretary of agriculture to be a party to any railroad freight case in which prices of farm commodities were involved.

Other conferees said they had about agreed to accept house provisions for continuing payments under the granary program on the present basis for soil conservation payments.

The senate bill had provided "parity payments" instead for corn, wheat and cotton. These would aim at bringing the purchasing price for the commodity to pre-war (1909-14) levels.

Holding to the soil conservation payments would keep total payments within funds provided, it was explained.

Mallard ducks bear a close resemblance to domestic ducks. In England, mallards are called stock ducks, because all domestic duck stock, except one or two varieties, descended from this bird.

FLAPPER FANNY By Sylvia

"Good story!" "Oh, same old thing—prince meets princess, princess meets dragon, prince kills dragon."

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Rev. Helen C. Peters, Pastor

The Church of the Nazarene will meet as usual at the I. O. O. F. hall, for Sunday morning worship. The Bible school begins at 9:45 A. M. followed by the worship service at 11:00 A. M. "Essentials to Effective Christian Living" is the sermon theme of the pastor, Rev. Helen Peters.

A cordial invitation to these services is extended.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Herbert J. Doran, Pastor

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed on Sunday morning at the Presbyterian church service of worship. The pastor will speak on the theme "Preparing for Communion."

The Forum will meet Sunday evening at 7:00 o'clock. Miss Alice Thompson will be the leader.

The trustees will meet at the manse on Monday evening at 7:30. The Candle Lighters will meet next Friday afternoon.

The communion will be administered privately Sunday afternoon to any members of the congregation who are sick or shut in, who will make a request of the pastor or any member of the session. Requests should be in the hands of the pastor or session by 10:30 A. M. Sunday.

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